

Britain to Call Army and Navy Reserves

COURT BATTLE OVER BUILDING

Title to Property of Associate Trust is Subject of Dispute

Equities in Estate Have Many Times Changed Hands

Action by Judge Sought to Put an End to Long Wrangle

An attempt was made in the superior court today to have Judge Franklin T. Hammond straighten out some of the equities of ownership in the Associate Building so that the property may be disposed of while real estate prices are high. Judge Hammond, after the papers in the case had been submitted to him, and he had spent some time in considering them, remarked that it was a very complicated matter. J. J. Hogan, counsel for one of the parties to the suit, commented that the case resembled that of *Jardney vs. Jardney*, that it had begun 18 months ago and seemed likely to go on forever. Other attorneys complained that no progress was being made with the case, which is now before a master, that they and their clients were wasting a lot of time and getting no results and that the equity is being put to heavy expense.

Grows Out of Trust

The case grows out of a trust that was formed by James and Humphrey O'Sullivan, James J. Donovan, James and John Coffey, May 12, 1902, to run for five years and which has not yet been terminated. As a result of the formation of the trust the Associate Building was purchased. The shares in the trust are divided into thirds. The O'Sullivan brothers are the undisputed possessors of three-ninths of the shares. Other shares, it is asserted, have been issued as collateral for loans and transferred so many times that it is difficult to determine who they now actually belong to. James J. Donovan has been eliminated from the trust by death. Before he died he transferred his share in the property to others. John Coffey is also deceased. He died intestate, leaving a widow and children. They were not represented in the case before the judge today, but the question was raised whether or not they might not yet have an interest in the trust.

Many Lawyers Take Part

The parties to the suit and the counsel representing them in court today were: James and Humphrey O'Sullivan represented by Albert S. Howard, Lowell Trust Company represented by Daniel J. Donahue, Washington Savings Institution represented by J. J. Hogan, and James Coffey represented by John O'Donoghue.

The City Institution for Savings is also interested in the case but its counsel, James Hill, was not present in court.

One of the principal questions at issue in the case involves a dispute between the Washington Savings institution and the Lowell Trust Company as to the ownership of one-ninth share in the trust. Another disputed question is the amount of the indebtedness.

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LOWELL GETS FARE REDUCTION

Street Railway Trustees Refuse Five-Cent Fare for This District

Offer Home Rule Committee 16 Rides for \$1 As Alternative Concession

Beginning May 2, Lowell street car riders will be able to purchase for \$1 a ticket entitling them to 16 rides in the same territory in which the 13-ride ticket is now in effect, reducing the cost per ride from 7 1/3 cents to 6 1/4 cents. The present transfer privileges will remain in effect and persons who do not buy tickets will continue to pay a flat 10-cent fare. The zones, transfer territory, etc., will remain as they now are.

This, in brief, sums up the concessions which members of the local home rule committee and Mayor Perry D. Thompson were able to obtain from the public trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Company at a conference held late yesterday afternoon at the office of the trustees in Boston.

The mayor and members of the committee went to Boston armed with a request for a five-cent fare in the central zone in Lowell and a seven-cent zone in Lowell and a seven-cent zone in Lowell.

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JURY GIVES HEALEY DAMAGES OF \$400

James J. Healey, a letter carrier, was awarded a verdict for \$400 damages in the superior court today in a suit against the city of Lowell. During the trial of the case Mr. Healey testified that he had received severe injuries to his ankle, incapacitating him from work for a considerable length of time, as the result of his foot getting caught in a hole in the sidewalk opposite 234 Lincoln street. The accident happened March 31, 1920.

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of the parties involved in the Lowell Trust Company for which shares in the trust are held as collateral.

In opening the discussion of the case Mr. Howard, counsel for the O'Sullivan brothers, said that his clients wanted the title to the building settled so that it could be sold and the proceeds distributed to those to whom they belong. He asserted that after the trust was created first mortgages were given, that various beneficiaries under the trust had given their equities to banks as securities for loans, and that the equities had been transferred between banks by quit claim deeds.

Action by the Court

"It is clear to everybody," said Mr. Howard, "that the only way in which the building can be sold is as a result of action by the court to quiet title."

Mr. Howard said that the case had been before a master for over a year and that apparently there would be no end to it.

Mr. Howard referred to the dispute as to the indebtedness of Mr. Coffey to the Lowell Trust Company as being one of the principal features of the case and said that the progress of the suit had been hampered by the sickness of Mr. Harrigan of the trust company, who, he said, was the only person connected with the bank who had any knowledge of the case.

"The case is costing the county a large amount of money," said Mr. Howard. "We come up here day after day and accomplish nothing and have to go back to our offices again."

Monster Mass Meeting

IN AID OF THE DISTRESSED IN IRELAND

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TURKS RESUME THEIR ADVANCE

Fears Entertained for Safety of Entire Greek Expeditionary Force

Magnitude of Reverse Suffered by Greeks Greater Than First Supposed

PARIS, April 8.—Turkish Nationalists have resumed their advance in the Brusa sector of Asia Minor, according to dispatches received at the French foreign office.

Fears are entertained here for the safety of the entire Greek expeditionary force. The magnitude of the reverse suffered by the Greeks appears to be greater than first supposed, Judge.

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BIG OBSERVANCE SUNDAY

Greek Community Completes Plans for Independence Celebration

"How long, ye graves, must we lie lonely, like lions, on the mountain-sides. And dwell in caverns, sheltered by the rocks. And fly the world, from bitter slavery's yoke. Our brothers leaving country, parents, Our children leaving all who share our blood? Better one hour of life with liberty, Than forty years of slavery and chains."

This poem, from the pen of Constantinos Rilgas, who after being put to death by the Turkish authorities while on his way to Constantinople, was sung by the chorus of modern Greece in appropriate hymns as next Sunday the members of the local Greek colony will celebrate with great pomp.

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GUN BATTLE IN CHICAGO

Two Policemen Dying, One Dead and Three Others Suffering From Wounds

CHICAGO, April 8.—Policemen John Tracy and Robert Nikisch are dying; Matthew Lelich died early today, and three others are suffering from wounds received in a street fight in the South Chicago steel mill district late last night.

As Tracy and Policeman John M. White, who was wounded in the hand, met a party of three steel workers a quarrel began when the policeman in plain clothes were crowded off the sidewalk. The steel workers opened fire and by the time both sides had emptied their guns, all had been wounded. Captain Joseph Smith of the South Chicago police station said the three steel workers, not familiar with the English language, may have thought the policemen were robbers.

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CAN BUY BOOZE ANY OLD PLACE

Defendant in Non-Support Case Makes Sweeping Statement in Court

Liquor on Sale, He Says, In Erstwhile Saloons, and Fruit Stores

Liquor can be purchased at bar-rooms and fruit stores throughout this city, according to the testimony of a defendant in the police court this morning. The man, who is the father of six children, was charged by his wife with non-support. He admitted that he has been drinking much of late. "But where did you get it?" demanded Judge Enright. "Oh, there's plenty of it around," confidently replied the defendant, and followed with a sweeping assertion to the effect that a majority of the establishments formerly devoted to the sale of intoxicants in Lowell can still be counted on for booze, and that several fruit stores are in the same category. Judge Enright, summoning Deputy Downey

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CHAUFFEUR FINED IN POLICE COURT

A penalty which automatically revokes his license to drive an automobile was imposed today in the police court on David Brabant, charged with driving in a manner calculated to endanger the lives and safety of the public.

Brabant, a chauffeur, was fined \$25 for alleged reckless driving of a motorcycle on Broadway, while mill-hands were on the cross-walks, streets and sidewalks in large numbers. He appealed the finding and was held in bonds of \$200. Police officers testified that complaints had been lodged against Brabant by people who were frightened by his manner of handling his machine. The officers stated that they lay in wait for the defendant's approach, and that he came down the street at a 30 or 35 mile clip. The defendant himself admitted that he had perhaps been going 25 miles an hour, which Judge Enright said was too fast, and quoted the statute, which mentions 15 miles an hour as a reasonable rate of speed under some circumstances.

The community has got to be protected," declared his Honor, "and these people who drive so as to endanger the public must take the consequences."

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REFUSES TO "SPONGE"

"Better to join the chorus, than to sponge on friends." So saying, another London society leader—the Hon. Sylvia Gough—has turned to the stage. She is appearing as a chorus girl in "The Night Girl" at Times Square Theatre, New York. The family fortune was wiped out by the war. She is an internationally known beauty. A portrait of her by Augustus Johns is on exhibition in the Metropolitan Art Gallery, New York.

Big Increase In German Exports

COPENHAGEN, April 5.—There has been an extraordinary increase in the exports of German industrial plants in consequence of the establishment along the Rhine of the new tariff zone by the entente.

Self-Service Grocery Store

Fancy Sliced Pineapple No. 2½ can	29c
Fancy Yellow Cling Peaches, No. 2½ can	20c
Greenfield Creamery Butter (1 lb. carton)	44c
Meadow Brook Butter Print	58c
Supreme Fancy Selected Carton Eggs	34c
Milco Nut Oleo	26c
Mayfield Nut Oleo	27c
Sunkist Seeded Raisins (15 oz.)	27c
Fresh Dromedary Dates	20c
Baker's Cocoa (½ lb. can)	22c
Minute Tapioca	12c
Tomatoes, No. 3 can	10c
Blue Karo	11c
Snider's Ketchup	26c
Blue Label Ketchup	26c
Jello (assorted)	10c
Hops (1 lb. pkg.)	43c
Excellity Malt and Hops	\$1.10
Kellogg's Corn Flakes, pkg.	10c
Grape Nuts	15c
Pink Salmon	12c
Snider's Tomato Soup (large)	10c
Libby's Sliced Pineapple, No. 2½ can	38c
Chase & Sanborn Coffee	39c
Gold Medal Flour (24½ lbs.)	\$1.35
Quaker Oats (large)	25c
Friend's Beans	23c
Campbell's Beans	10c
Bee Soap	7c
Welcome Soap	7c
Rinso	6½c
Fancy Maine Style Corn	12c
Mueller's Macaroni, pkg.	11c
Mazola Oil (qts.)	55c
Cream Corn Starch, pkg.	11c
Howard's Salad Dressing, bottle	30c
Horlick's Malted Milk (large)	72c
Special Table Talk Ketchup	9c

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The Store of Absolute Satisfaction

CROCKER LIVED ON MILK AND GRUEL FOUR YEARS

Now Able to Eat Anything He Wants, New Bedford Man Declares His Recovery Is Due Entirely to Tanlac

"When a man has stomach trouble so bad that for four years he has to live on milk and gruel and then finds a medicine that gets him to where in a little while he can eat pork sausage, corned beef and cabbage, or just anything else he wants, I think it's time for him to talk for the benefit of others. Well, that's just what Tanlac has done for me, and I've gained 11 pounds in weight, besides."

The above statement was made recently by Adelbert Crocker, well known employee of the H. C. Reynolds Plumbing Co., residing at 40 Russell st., New Bedford, Mass.

"For 10 years," said Mr. Crocker, "I suffered from indigestion and didn't dare eat anything except the lightest of foods. Even milk caused me such cramping pains I just doubled up like a jackknife, and my appetite was so poor I never relished what little I did eat. I managed to drag myself to work each day, but I really felt bad enough to be in bed. My sleep was so broken I got up mornings feeling completely worn out, and I lost so much weight and got in such an awful fix I never expected to enjoy a well day again."

"Well, it certainly was a lucky day for me when I started taking Tanlac, for now I'm feeling just like a 16-year-old. My appetite is better now than ever before, and my wife jokingly says she can hardly cook enough to satisfy me. I sleep like a log every night, and get up mornings feeling refreshed and full of strength and energy. I must say Tanlac is certainly the greatest medicine in the world."

Tanlac is sold in Lowell by a special Tanlac representative at Green's drug store; by the Wright Drug Co., Billerica, Mass.; Snow's Pharmacy, Concord, Mass., and first class druggists in every town.—Adv.

U. S. FLAG HAULED DOWN

Irish Girls Who Raised Stars and Stripes Persecuted and Jailed by Troops

ATHLONE, Ireland, April 5. (By the Associated Press).—Two sisters, Misses Una and Lena Sharkey of Strokestown, County Roscommon, are prisoners in the military barracks here after a series of alleged persecutions by the crown forces which have made their case one of the most celebrated in western Ireland.

An interesting feature of the case was the determination of the two young women, both of whom have visited the United States, to keep the American flag flying over their shop, "The American Novelty Stores," at Strokestown.

The White Cross association's report of the affair says the girls repeatedly raised the flag but each time it was hauled down and seized. "Finally the flagpole was removed and a threat made, with a revolver at the girls' heads, that if the flag was again shown the house would be burned."

The young women's troubles began, it is said, when a retired police official conceived the idea that they were turning their shop into an ammunition factory because they had a knitting machine in their store. The sisters encouraged him in that belief. When the joke on him became public the aged police official became the town butt. This made him so angry, the White Cross report states, that, with the aid of a fellow constable acting as a magistrate, he had the sisters arrested and

they were detained in a prison cell for two months.

After being released, the report says, "they were commanded to close their stores, which tyrannous order they ignored. Again they were arrested, and kept in prison for several months." On being freed they tried to reopen their shop, but the result, the report asserts, that their entire stock, valued at more than \$15,000 was seized and carried to the military camp.

Six months later, the report continues, "the military took back a dilapidated remnant of the goods looted, and against the protests of the Misses Sharkey dumped them into their store." This was sold at auction, realizing about \$300. With that amount and a contribution made by sympathizers throughout the country, the sisters again engaged in business.

"The girls," the report says, "were now persecuted by Blacks and Tans, who robbed the counter till and removed whatever of value that attracted their capricious fancy." Because of alleged threats of night attacks, the girls slept at the house of their brother, a merchant. Persecution, it is charged, was then switched to the brother, whose "safe was rifled by crown forces and his premises looted." Finally he and his sisters were arrested. He is now confined in the Strokestown military camp. The total losses of the sisters is estimated at \$25,000.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

By Theatres' Own Press Agents

H. F. KELLER'S THEATRE

Good vaudeville isn't the easiest thing in the world to get, because all acts can't be picked from trees. They just happen occasionally. This week at the H. F. Keller theatre three headline attractions have happened, and they are all on the very same bill. Chic Sale, a metropolitan headliner, is one of them. No act that New York gets has any bigger drawing power than the one offered by Sale. Then

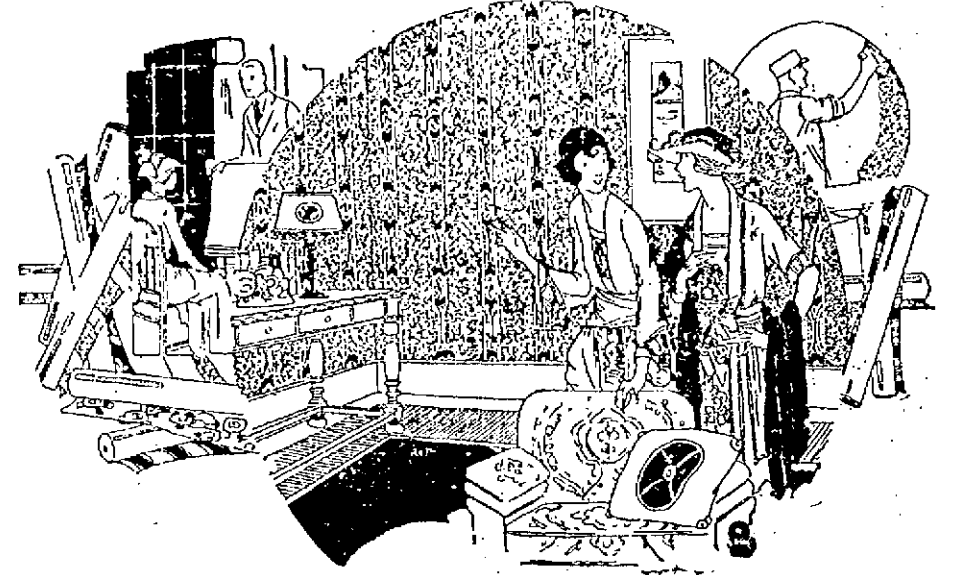
The Bon Marche

Take Elevators

WALL PAPER SECTION

Third Floor

Now is the time to brighten up your home walls. Make them smile with NEW WALL PAPER. No other one thing you can buy for the same amount of money will beautify your home as much. We carry the largest stock and offer a bigger variety in each grade than any other store in Lowell.



Five hundred patterns are displayed on mounted wings, showing how each pattern would look on your own walls. And each pattern is the best of its kind, for it was carefully selected from the entire offerings of the ten biggest and best mills in America.

OUR PRICES ARE THE LOWEST CONSISTENT WITH RELIABILITY

We are the only store in Lowell buying from those mills which are recognized by the trade as the best buying at A No. 1 JOBBERS' PRICES. We pass on to you a saving of 30% to 40%. An example of the saving we pass on to our customers may be seen in some of our Imported Tapestry Papers. Others would sell these papers for \$1.25 to \$1.50 roll could they buy them. We are selling many rolls of these papers every day at 69c roll.

REGARDING HANGING

We haven't any paper hangers in our employ, but if you buy paper of us we will gladly recommend several, give you their names and addresses and assist you to get in touch with a good workman.

SAYS GOOD NAME IS EVERYTHING

DETROIT, April 5.—"Once a thief, always a thief" is the blackest lie ever hatched."

So says Sophia Lyons, 30 years an international crook, 10 years more a successful business woman.

"Good name is the thing to be guarded. Once lost, its loss is banished beyond the pale—shut out from the condition in which lies the only desideratum—contentment."

Sophia Lyons' environment led her into the world of crookdom.

"Before I was six my stepmother used to throw me down the stairs if I came home with less than three pocketbooks a day," she says. "In that hard school I learned every trick of the 'dips' trade before I was 10, although I couldn't recite the alphabet until I was 23."

Late in her 20's, following her determination to seek "big game" she travelled through Europe, acquiring the learning that enabled her later to move in the hazy edge of the "best circles" of America and Europe. Armed with this "culture" she preyed upon society to her heart's content. But Sophia Lyons didn't escape the law. Arrested 163 times in the 30 years of her criminal life she has been in 50 jails.

"Goes straight?" Forty years ago, after her release from the house of correction here, she determined to "go straight."

"The first employer to whom I applied had me thrown out badly," she says. "Finally after a long search I found a \$10-a-week job in a real estate office. When I left the office a few years later I was making \$300 a week."

Since that time independent real estate dealings have netted her almost \$1,000,000. With it the 76-year-old woman has established homes for wayward girls in many parts of the country and carried on prison reform work in a large degree, at her own expense.

Out of her total income each year she sets aside \$1000 for her own expenses and devotes the remainder to charity.

GREAT FOR ECZEMA AND OLD SORES

I Guarantee My Ointment, Says Peterson—Every Box of It

"If you are responsible for the health of your family," says Peterson, of Buffalo, "I want you to get a large 35-cent box of Peterson's Ointment today. Remember, I stand back of every box. Every druggist guarantees to refund the purchase price if Peterson's Ointment doesn't do all I claim. I guarantee it for eczema, old sores, running sores, salt rheum, ulcers, sore nipples, broken breasts, itching skin, skin diseases, blind, bleeding and itching piles, as well as for chafing, burns, scalds, cuts, bruises and sunburn."

"I had 39 running sores on my leg for 11 years, was in three different hospitals. Amputation was advised. Skin grafting was tried. I was cured by using Peterson's Ointment."—Mrs. E. E. Reed, 257 Michigan st., Buffalo, N. Y. Mail orders filled by Peterson Ointment Co., Inc., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

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Look over our complete stock of Men's Hosiery in cotton, lisle and silk at popular prices.

MEN'S "TRYME" SOX are superior to other hosiery of the same weight, superior in heels and toes, durability never before obtained, comfort velvety with no seams to hurt the feet, colors are black, navy, grey and cordovan. 25¢ Pair



MEN'S "PHOENIX" SILK SOX
Seamless, double soles and heels, black and colors, 80c pair

MEN'S "SERVICE" SOX, made of fine combed yarn, double soles and heels, colors are black, grey, cordovan and navy, 35¢, 3 Pairs \$1.00

MEN'S "TRIPLETOE" MERCERIZED LISLE HOSE, made with double soles and high spliced heels. Colors are black, navy, grey, cordovan, Russian calf and white, 50¢ Pair

MEN'S SILK PLAID SOX, full fashioned, double soles and high spliced heels, in black, two-toned colors, \$1 Pair

MEN'S SILK SOX with lisle soles, full fashioned, double soles and high spliced heels, black only, \$1.50 Pair

MEN'S BLACK SILK SOX, white embroidered clocks, full fashioned, double sole, high spliced heels, \$2.60 Pair

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE

Presenting in novel problems that are understood by every man and woman. "What's Worth While?" a Lela Weber production, is scoring a great success at the Merrimack Square Theatre. All those who saw "To Please One Woman" will find this new play equally delightful. The picture has been admirably produced and the story, that of the love of an aristocratic young woman for a primitive man, offers numerous opportunities for the most effective characterization. "Beau Reveil," a Thomas H. Ince production of more than average merit, is the other big featured picture taken at the funeral of Cardinal Gibbons, a comedy and the International News round out the bill.

THE STRAND

There will be morning matinees at the Strand on Saturday for the young folks of the city and surroundings, and the special program for that occasion will be the big picture production, "The Hunt for the Medicine." The price of admission for the children will be 11 cents, tax paid. The usual weekend program showing William Faversham in "The War of the Worlds" and "The War of the Worlds" will be shown on Saturday night. For the Sunday concert the management will provide the usual line of vaudeville, and among the pictures to be shown will be one of Charlie Chaplin's biggest film successes. Don't miss seeing it and laugh yourself tired.

RIALTO THEATRE

Little Wesley Barry is once more drawing the same big houses to the Rialto theatre as he did in the recent release of "Dinky," which was shown in that theatre only weeks ago. The picture is booked for the remainder of the week and should draw very heavily for that time. Accompanying the feature bill is a strong drama, "Unseen Forces," a comedy, "Nobody's Wife," an episode of "Fighting Fate" and the Fox news.

Saturday morning there will be a special performance opening at 10 o'clock for the youngsters and grown-ups. Admission to everybody will be 11 cents.

OPERA HOUSE

Dramatic endeavor of the highest order, and characterization seldom equaled on the local stage, is being thoroughly enjoyed by the patrons of the Opera House this week. "Madame X," Alexandra Blason's great French drama of mother love, is being presented with remarkable finish and satisfaction by the Lowell Players. Large crowds have attended all performances up to date and capacity audiences are assured for the remaining

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Sun and Wind Bring Out Ugly Spots, How to Remove Easily

Here's a chance, Miss Freckle-face, to try a remedy for freckles with the guarantee of a reliable concern that it will not cost you a penny unless it removes the freckles, while if it does give you a clear complexion the expense is trifling.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from any druggist and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of the pesky freckles and get a beautiful complexion. There is more than one source needed for the worst case.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength othine as this strength is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

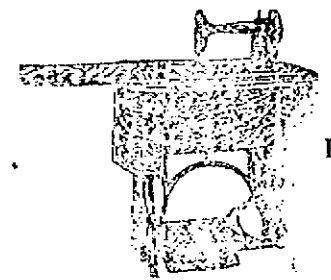
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Indians on Mohawk Reservation Defy Canada to Oust Them From Tract



Chief Joseph Henry of the Cayuga tribe, who at 109 is the oldest Indian in the Canadian Mohawk reservation. At the right, an Indian boy with his home-made bow and arrow; and below, the type of house in the Mohawk Indian reservation.

BRANTFORD, Ont., April 8.—The 5000 Indians on the Brant tract are "sitting tight," waiting for the Canadian government to act.

The Canadian government declares the Indians must accept citizenship and pledge allegiance to King George, or move from the reservation. They have refused to do this and have applied to the United States to take them back.

Forefathers of these Indians of the Six Nations were paid by Joseph Brant to fight against the United States in the war of 1812. In return a 36,000-acre tract was given them here.

Dr. E. A. Bates of Syracuse, an adopted chief of the Six Nations, has been commissioned to ask President

Harding to allow the Canadian Indians to return to the United States. But there is no room in New York reservations for the Canadian tribe.

These Indians were fierce foes of the United States. Canada obligated itself to them. There is little hope for the Indians being given a home in the United States.

The tribesmen are defiant, but not belligerent.

"We're going to stay here," they say. "We'll not accept Canadian citizenship. We'll not move when we're ordered. They'll have to oust us from our homes by force."

"If we have to accept citizenship in any country and begin life anew, it will be in the United States."

St. Louis Pays Tribute to War Dead

ST. LOUIS, April 8.—St. Louis today mourned the deaths of 500 of its sons who were killed in the world war. Flags were at half staff. The bodies of six soldiers, which were returned from France, lay in state in the rotunda of the city hall, and will be buried with military honors tomorrow.

Princess Anastasia Coming to U. S.

ATHENS, April 8.—(By the Associated Press)—Princess Anastasia, who is convalescing from her recent illness, may go to America soon and will take a special steamer to New York, if it can be obtained. Her recovery is being retarded by attacks of nausea.

Ten Good Specials From the Street Floor

For Friday and Saturday

SMALLWARES

- Set of four Corset Garters, regular price 49c. Special, 25c
- One-fourth and three-eighth inch Elastic, regular price 3c yd. Special, 5c Yd.
- Dress Shields, regular price 15c pair. Special, 12c Pr.
- Military Braid, regular price 10c to 59c yd. Special, 5c to 49c
- Sanitary Napkins, 6 in box, regular price 29c box. Special, 25c

NECKWEAR

- Women's Ruffled Vests, regular price \$1.25 and \$1.50. Special, \$1.00
- Women's Embroidered Corner Handkerchiefs, in colors and white; regular price 25c and 35c. Special, 12½c

TOILET GOODS

- Mavis Talcum Powder. Special, 18c
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In navy, brown and black, dozens of smart styles in the lot. Fashioned in a very good quality of taffeta, all sizes to 44. These attractive dresses are a special value for Friday and Saturday only.

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Girls' Sport Coats

Sizes 6 to 14 Years

\$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00

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Second Floor



An Amazing

Hosiery Sale

You will agree it is amazing after you see the remarkable reductions. Stockings here for women and children.

- Women's Fibre Silk Boot Hose 17¢ Pair
These were 40c pair; have double soles, and are irregulars.
- Women's ¾ Length Fibre Silk Hose 30¢ Pair
Made with double soles; regular price 60c.
- Women's Fibre Silk Hose 35¢ Pair
Have seamed back and double soles, irregulars; regular price 75c.
- Women's Cotton Hose 25¢ Pair
Black and brown; regular price 35c.
- Children's Cotton Hose 17¢ Pair
Made of combed yarn, in black only; regular price 35c pair.
- Children's Heavy Cotton Hose 25¢ Pair
Black, with double toe and heel; regular price 50c pair.

Street Floor

TODAY AND TOMORROW

26-Piece Set of

Rogers Silverware

\$4.98

Regular Price \$8.50

6 knives, 6 forks, 6 tea spoons, 6 table spoons, 1 sugar shell, 1 butter knife.

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MOHAIR TUXEDO
COAT SWEATERS

\$7.50

These Coat Sweaters are the newest wrinkle in sport wear. Worn mostly in gay colors, though we have the darker shades also. In navy, black, buff, tomato, rust, henna and jade.

NEW JERSEY TIE-
BACK SWEATERS

\$2.98

Another new idea for sport wear. In navy, black, gray, brown and buff.

Second Floor



FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Sport Coats

For Women and Misses

Just Received and Specially Priced at
\$15.00

Of fine worsted jersey, in navy, black and brown. These are regular coat models and not the sweater coat. Worn with a plaid skirt they complete a very serviceable sport suit. Other models in good polo cloth in tan and a few darker shades. This assortment is a special value.

Second Floor



Spring Waists and Overblouses

AT ATTRACTIVE PRICES

- New French Voile Waists, with real filet lace trimmed frilled fronts, and turn-back cuffs. Several other styles at this price. \$2.98
- Van Dyke Frilled Voile Waists \$2.98
- New Pongee Waists, several styles at \$2.98
- Creme de Chine Waists, in all the new shades \$5.00
- Mignonette Overblouses, in suit shades \$7.50
- Georgette Overblouses, in flesh and white \$5.00
- Georgette Overblouses, beautifully lace trimmed \$7.50 and \$10.00

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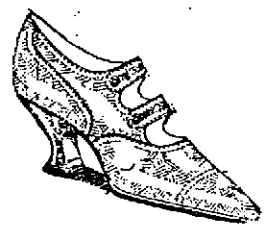
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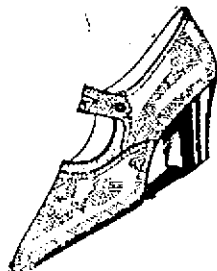
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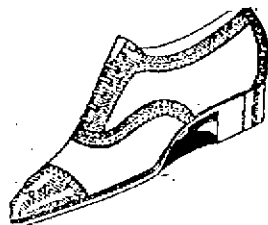
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Lowell

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR CARE OF VETERANS

WASHINGTON, April 5.—Seven spe-
cific recommendations, chief among
them the creation of the veterans ser-
vice administration to take entire
charge of government relief work
among former soldiers and to be head-
ed by a director general, responsible
directly to the president, were con-
tained in the report submitted yester-
day to President Harding by his spe-
cial commission investigating the care
of veterans.

Charles G. Dawes, of Chicago, chair-
man of the commission, told the presi-
dent as he handed him the report that
he believed the recommendations were
sound and that they would prove a
satisfactory solution of the troubles
existing in the present administration
of soldier relief work. Early action by
President Harding on the report is
expected.

Recommendation number one pro-
vided for the new agency and gives it
jurisdiction over the bureau of war
risk insurance, the rehabilitation divi-
sion of the general board for vocational
education and such part of the public
health service as may be necessary to
care properly for disabled veterans. It
also asks that a director general assume
charge of the new agency with full
authority to obtain necessary facili-
ties when those already available
prove inadequate.

This provision would permit the
lease or purchase of hospital buildings
wherever the demand exceeded the
supply.

Care is suggested in the framing of
the new legislation creating the admini-
stration in order to avoid present in-
consistencies of law affecting the three
existing bureaus. Particular request
is made that no statutory limitations be
placed on the director general as to
the number and salaries of his em-
ployees.

Number three says that pending the
enactment of new laws, Secretary Mel-
lon of the treasury shall issue orders to
the heads of the public health and war
risk bureaus authorizing the latter bu-
reau to take charge of the public
health and war risk bureaus, author-
izing the latter bureau to take charge
of the public health activities and per-
sonnel engaged in providing medical
care for the veterans. The effect would
be to consolidate these bureaus under
one head by executive order without
waiting for congress to act or risk de-
lay from that cause.

The next recommendation provides
for an immediate extension and utiliza-
tion of all government hospital facili-
ties together with such mobilization of
civilian medical services as may prove
practical.

An immediate and continuous hospi-
tal building program is asked in the
fifth recommendation, which suggests
that Secretary Mellon's committee re-
cently appointed to report on sites for
new hospitals be directed to report con-
cerning the type and locations of the
required buildings. It adds that ap-
propriations shall be made available
by the congress which convenes next
Monday.

The sixth calls for exertion of hu-
manizing influences to impress the
sick and wounded with the fact that
the nation is entirely concerned in their
welfare and rehabilitation.

The last asks immediate use of the
\$18,600,000 appropriated by the last con-
gress for new hospitals.

Fail to Shake Story Continued

statement that he and William Duncan,
a friend, were hired with promise of
\$5000 each to kill the turfman. He
claimed that a woman known to him
as "Mrs. Fairchild" employed them.

Detection of a New York woman,
whose photograph was identified tenta-
tively by Harris as that of "Mrs. Fair-
child" was suggested to Mr. Whitman
by the district attorney at Buffalo, but
Mr. Whitman decided to wait for fur-
ther developments before taking action.

May Be Taken to New York
BUFFALO, N. Y., April 5.—Whether
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HORSE RADISH

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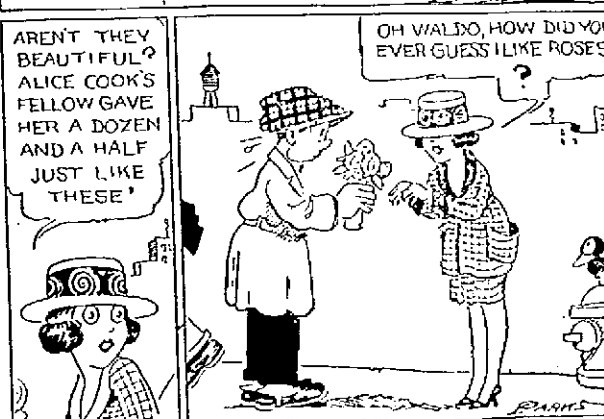
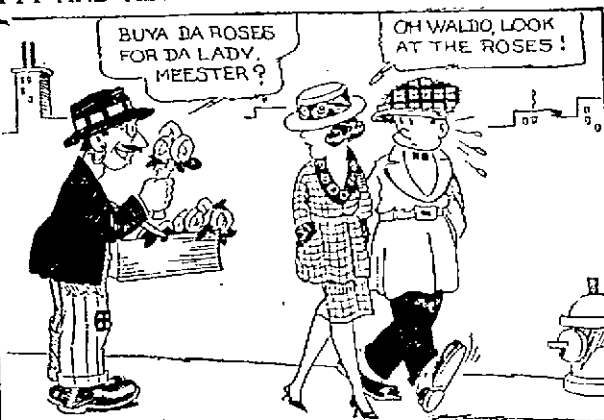
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CHOICE STEER BEEF

Pol Roast, no bone, lb. 15c

Chuck Rib Roast, lb. 16c

First Rib Roast, lb. 23c

First Rib, no bone, lb. 30c

Sirloin Roast, no bone, 39c

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Fowl, 4 lb. average... 45c

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FRESH FISH

Fresh Salmon, lb. 38c

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LOWELL MAN DROVE AUTO THROUGH FIRE AND SMOKE TO SAVE IT FROM LOSS



Mr. Alfred O. Fischer of 39 Westford St., Lowell, Tells Story of How He Lost His Health and How the Tonic CINOX Helped Him

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"My stomach would absolutely refuse to digest my food and I would fill up with gas and get black spots before my eyes and felt nervous and restless and needed a tonic to build me up as my work driving the public from Lowell to Lawrence in an auto is of a tiring nature. It was necessary that I get something to help me."

"The long and short of it was that I got a bottle of CINOX and I never saw anything like it. It immediately relieved the stomach trouble and built an appetite and I feel like a different person."

CINOX IS BEING DEMONSTRATED IN LOWELL BY AN EXPERT AT DOWNS DRUG STORE, and is for sale by all druggists everywhere.—Adv.

Refuse to Accept Cut In Wages

CHICAGO, April 8.—Members of the Electrical Workers union have joined the carpenters in refusing to agree to a wage reduction from \$1.25 an hour to \$1. Last night 3200 of them voted unanimously to reject the reduction proposed by the Building Employers' association. The majority of the electrical workers argued that increased rents had offset the decreases of other factors in the cost of living.

Mexican Railroads Congested

MEXICO CITY, April 8.—Congestion of Mexican railroads has reached a critical stage, and commercial and industrial interests have appealed to the government to take extraordinary steps to relieve the situation. At Vera Cruz, Tampico, Puerto Mexico and in cities along the United States frontier, thousands of tons of merchandise have been lying for months. President Obregon declares that imports have increased 200 per cent in the last three months and that additional railroad rolling stock has not been acquired to a proportionate degree.

Huge Prune Shipment to Germany

SALEM, Ore., April 8.—A prune shipment, believed to be the biggest fruit shipment ever sent from the northwest, will leave Portland this month for Germany, according to announcement here today. It comprises 1,450,000 pounds of Italian prunes grown in Oregon and Washington.

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NO TRACE OF BANDITS

Yeggs Handcuffed Mail Truck Drivers and Took Registered Mail

CINCINNATI, April 8.—Postoffice inspectors and police early today had failed to find trace of three bandits who last night held up a mail truck here and robbed it of three pouches of registered mail. Boarding the truck as it was leaving the Baltimore & Ohio railroad station at Bay Miller street, the holdup men forced Joseph Arbino, the driver, and Walter D. Hubler, railway mail clerk, to drive in a secluded alley, where the two were handcuffed to the steering wheel of their machine. Going to the rear of the truck the bandits, using a duplicate key, unlocked the truck cage door and carefully picked over 60 sacks of mail to select those containing registered matter. Securing these, the thieves leaped from the truck with a warning to the handcuffed men not to make an outcry under penalty of being shot, and jumping into a waiting automobile, escaped.

An estimate of the amount of loot was unobtainable.

INDICTED AS RUNNING ALLEGED DIVORCE MILL

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., April 8.—Four indictments were returned yesterday against Herbert F. Miller, who conducted a law office in Manhattan, and who is charged with forging the names of several supreme court justices to more than two score fake divorce decrees for clients in Kings, Westchester and New York counties. The indictments involve an aggregate maximum sentence of 40 years in state prison.

The justices, as well as several of the victims of the alleged forgeries were witnesses at yesterday's grand jury hearing, but the whereabouts of the lawyer are unknown.

Supreme Court Justice Tompkins was said to have recognized forgeries of his name on at least six papers inspected at the hearing. Other officials whose names are alleged to have been forged include Justices Young and Morgan and James F. Wilkinson, former law partner of Miller, as a notary public.

Wilkinson's present partner, Nathan B. Chadsey, was the first to begin an investigation that led to exposure of the case. Chadsey, it was said, became suspicious when Miller's clients came into Wilkinson's office asking why they had not received their final decree.

MOVE TO SALVAGE BIG OIL CARGO

ST. JOHN, N. B., April 8.—Steps were being taken today to salvage the 15,000 barrels of gasoline aboard the Imperial Oil Co.'s steamship Impeco, which went aground at Blende Rock, while en route to this port from Halifax.

It is reported here that the Impeco was hard aground and that her hull had been crushed by the rocks. The Canadian government steamship Aberdeen has been requested to stand by the Impeco until a salvage steamer arrives from Halifax.

Foch Plans to Visit America

PARIS, April 8.—Marshal Foch has not as yet been advised of any invitation being extended to him by the American Legion to visit the United States during the coming summer. He would have gone during the present month, it is said, if his plans had not been deranged by the necessity of conferring with the supreme allied council and carrying out its decisions. It is difficult for him to make plans in advance. He hopes, however, to be able to find time for a visit to America in the near future.

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OPPOSES CUT IN WAGES

Haverhill Mayor Would Bar Cars and License Jitneys if Strike Comes

HAVERHILL, April 8.—Mayor Parkman B. Flanders told the municipal council yesterday that if the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway trustees precipitate a strike among its employees next month, it should be notified to take its cars out of the city and that jitney licenses should be granted. Aldermen George L. Martin and Albert L. Bartlett announced their opposition to the jitneys.

The municipal council will confer today with the trustees of the railway at Boston regarding a new schedule of fares in this city and vicinity. The Haverhill Chamber of Commerce will also be represented at the conference. Mayor Flanders declared that the public would be handicapped if the street railway employees struck when the trustees enforce their reduction of wages next month, and provisions should be made for some kind of transportation service. He added that the trustees did not establish the present scale of wages, as they were fixed by an arbitration board. He expressed the opinion that the trustees had acted improperly in voting to reduce wages without an investigation.

Alderman Bartlett said he did not approve of the action of the trustees in trying to reduce wages on the plea of reducing fares and argued that the operators of one-man cars earned all the money they received.

CUT IN PRICE OF BRICKS
CHICAGO, April 8.—A 25 per cent reduction in the price of bricks was announced today by the Illinois Brick Co. Bricks that formerly cost \$16 a thousand will be reduced to \$12 effective Monday.

39 ANARCHISTS HELD

Implicated in Plot to Bomb Nationalist Clubs in Italy —Battle in Streets

LONDON, April 8.—Offices of the chamber of labor in the Italian city of Padua were burned last night by members of the extreme nationalist group, says a Central News despatch from Rome. The socialists at once proclaimed a general strike, and formed a procession with the intention of burning one of the Nationalist clubs in the city. While marching through the streets the socialists encountered a procession of nationalists and in the fighting that ensued, one man was killed and many injured. The socialists were finally routed and dispersed. The despatch quotes the newspaper Tempo of Rome as stating that 39 anarchists have been arrested at Ferrara, 26 miles northeast of Bologna on the charge that they were implicated in a plot to bomb nationalist clubs, a theatre and several cafes.

ZONE LIMIT EXTENSION

Announcement has been made that the first zone limit on the Lowell Lawrence line of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway Co. will be extended from Percy street, Kenwood, to Hemlock street, Brookline. This change has been brought about through the efforts of James J. McManis and other residents of the district, who on several occasions have appealed to the trustees of the company for a change in the zone limit. It is believed that the change will become effective as soon as the proposed reduction in fares all over the system goes into effect. The extension of the zone will mean that patrons of the road will pay a cash fare of one penny on a ticket from Hemlock street to Merrimack square instead of two cash fares, or two punches on the ticket as at present.

Lowell Gets Fare Reduction

Continued

cent fare in the suburban zones. The trustees brought forth volumes of figures and facts to show why the new fare would not be feasible in the Lowell district even after a 20 per cent wage reduction goes into effect on the road May 2. One reason advanced for their being unable to grant the nickel fare was the fact that the Lowell district had a deficit of \$118,000 in 1920, part of which must be made up this year. In addition, the trustees claimed that the industrial depression in this city as in other textile cities had seriously reduced the income of the company and until this depression was over and the company received its normal patronage, it could grant no greater concession than the 16-ride ticket for \$1. As soon as the depression lifts, the trustees will be glad to consider further reductions and will welcome another conference with the home rule committee.

The conference was held in the trustees' office at 1 Beacon street and Thomas had the distinction of being the first newspaper in any city to have a representative present at a conference held by the trustees in their own office since they were created by the legislature.

The home rule committee presented its full strength of eight members, including Chairman John E. Sullivan, Secretary John B. Curtis, Rev. S. W. Matthews, George E. Wells, Joseph A. Mellow, Walter H. Butler, Edward B. Carney and Charles H. Hobson. Mayor Thompson and Manager Thomas Lees were also present from Lowell. The trustees were represented by Homer Loring and Fred J. Crowley. Fred S. Cummings, publicity agent of the company, and Assistant General Manager Fritz were also present.

The conference was called by Chairman Loring promptly at 3 o'clock and he reviewed briefly the purpose of the meeting. He said that on May 2 there would be a 20 per cent reduction in the wages of those employees who had received a 20 per cent increase a year ago. Inasmuch as the company had to go to its riding public to re-

ceive funds to pay the increase a year ago, it was deemed only just that the public should benefit when the wage decrease should become effective. This home rule committee of various cities of the district have been in conference with the trustees. Mr. Loring said, to decide just how the reduction should be distributed.

The wage reduction in the Lowell district would mean a saving of \$3700 per month, he continued. Lowell, he said, was one of the most difficult districts with which the trustees have to deal owing to the present industrial depression. There has in the past few months been a large shrinkage in the earnings of the company here. In the month of March the company barely earned the cost of service and in January and February there were deficits. He said he wished to make clear those facts before the Lowell committee set forth its case.

Mayor Perry D. Thompson

Mayor Thompson was the first spokesman of the Lowell contingent. He said there was an ever-constant demand in Lowell for a five-cent fare. The home rule committee, he said, had acquired since which would indicate that on short hauls and taking into consideration the proposed wage decrease, the falling prices of commodities used by the road, the curtailment of service on many lines and the economies effected by a change from the two-man to one-man cars, a five-cent fare would be feasible.

He referred to the conference which the home rule committee held with the trustees several months ago at which time the trustees were impressed by many of the arguments brought forth. If those arguments were any good then, the mayor said, they are even better now. He said that if a five-cent fare is put into effect the first month or two must not be considered fair trial owing to conditions in Lowell. Trying at the present time is very light, he admitted.

He said that the committee would present its figures and that it would be amenable to reason. If a five-cent fare could not be granted, he hoped that the trustees would approximate it as closely as possible. He said that he understood that a five-cent fare was in effect in some cities. Chairman Loring said that there were no five-cent fares on the Eastern Massachusetts lines with the exception of a very short stretch of territory in Revere, connecting with an Elevated line. On the other hand, he said, the fare in Worcester has just been increased to 10 cents.

Mayor Thompson said that there were some remarkably short hauls in Lowell and that it seemed a bit unreasonable to have to pay a ten-cent fare for a distance that could be walked in five minutes.

Mr. Loring said that while there is to be a decrease in the price of coal, all of the commodities used by the road have not dropped. It must be remembered, he added, that for the past six months the receipts of the company in the Lowell district had steadily been dropping off. In March the Lowell district earned only \$102,000. In a good month, the district would earn \$130,000. The decrease, he believed, was due largely to the textile depression.

Mr. Wells said that he did not believe that the falling off was due wholly to the textile situation, but rather to the fact that the present rate of fares was deterring many people from riding.

Chairman Loring pointed out that this statement was not borne out by the actual reports received by the company. In Haverhill, for instance, where the shoe industry is beginning to pick up, there was a 15 per cent increase in the company's revenue for March. In that city there is a five-cent fare with no transfer privileges. There aren't even tickets, as there are in Lowell. Nobody can ride any where in that district without paying a ten-cent fare and yet when the industries began to revive there, there resulted an immediate increase in riding. Car riding follows industrial conditions very closely, Mr. Loring said.

He cited as another example Fall River where there has been no change of fare for years. That city has a better fare rate than Lowell because it has the 16-ride ticket for \$1. But the falling off in riding has been just as marked as in Lowell since the industrial depression began, despite the fact that there is in vogue there a monthly ticket which brings the cost of a ride to six cents.

"All our data," Mr. Loring continued, "shows that the variation of earnings is a matter of industrial conditions, not of fares."

Mr. Wells said that he didn't mean that the falling off in riding in Lowell was due entirely to the scale of fares but he did believe that it had some effect. People don't like the idea of having to pay out a dollar when they want to ride, he added.

Chairman Loring said that 70 per cent of the people riding in Lowell use tickets.

George F. Wells

Mr. Wells then proceeded to read the figures which he quoted at the last meeting of the home rule committee, showing where a saving in 1921 operating expenses of \$168,000 as compared with 1920 could be made. He said that with a five-cent fare in the central zone and a seven-cent fare in the second and suburban zones, the Lowell district could produce a revenue of \$1,188,000 or a surplus of \$121,000. This, he said, did not take into consideration an increase in patronage or a reduction in the price of commodities. He felt that from the figures at hand, Lowell could consistently ask for a five-cent fare in the central zone and a seven-cent fare in the others.

Chairman Loring said that there would be no one more pleased to grant a five-cent fare than the public trustees. But, he said, every reduction in fares means an increase in traffic, which increases expenses. He said that the Lowell district in 1920 had a deficit of \$118,000 which must be made up some time.

Mr. Wells agreed that reduced fares would mean increased traffic but he said that at present some of the cars running in Lowell could carry 25 per cent more passengers except during the rush hours.

"Now," said Mr. Loring, "that is when we get our greatest revenue. In normal times we run one and a half cars in rush hours for every one can in other periods of the day."

Mr. Crowley said that for the past two or three months there have been practically no rush hours in Lowell because the mills have not been working. In the time November he said that the cars had been running at a standing idleness for some time.

Mr. Wells said there must be some distance that a passenger could be carried in Lowell for five cents. May be the present zones are too long, he suggested.

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LABOR'S PLAN TO END DISPUTES

R. R. Unions Ask Pres.
Harding to Call Confer-
ence to Settle Controversy

Proposes Rules Governing
Working Conditions to Re-
place National Agreements

CHICAGO, April 8.—Five railroad labor unions with 500,000 members last night submitted to President Harding their plan for ending industrial disputes between the roads and their workers, proposing that the president call a conference of representatives of both sides at which new rules governing working conditions would be worked out to take the place of the national agreements, now in dispute before the Railroad Labor board.

The proposal was contained in a statement by representatives of the five mechanical unions and was sent to the president by H. M. Jewell, president of the railway employees' department of the American Federation of labor.

It proposed that all wage disputes be held in abeyance pending the conference, holding that the matter of wages could be quickly adjusted to the satisfaction of all as soon as the question of rules had been settled.

The telegram was sent in response to a request from President Harding at the recent conference he held with Mr. Jewell that labor submit its plan for ending the railroad industrial troubles. It included 12 points which were termed "labor's self-evident and inalienable rights," which, it said, would have to be settled at the proposed conference and specified that the national agreements should not be discounted in any way pending the outcome of the proposed conference. It was suggested that the conference be held under the jurisdiction of the railroad labor board, which would have full authority over it.

Included in the 12 points which the unions said should be held up were the basic eight-hour day, the right of collective bargaining, the right of each craft to decide what organization should represent it at any conference with employers and adjustment of "proper pay" for overtime work.

The statement in the telegram was signed by J. F. Anderson, vice-president of the International Association of Machinists; Edward Tegtmeyer, vice president of the International



WILL SHE AID MOTHER OR FATHER?

Miss Anne Stillman, 19, has been "neutral" up to the present, in the divorce case brought by her father, James A. Stillman, president of the National City Bank, New York. It is reported that Miss Stillman has now decided to aid her mother, because of Stillman's charge that Fred Beauvais, Canadian guide, is the father of Baby Guy Stillman. Mrs. Stillman counter-charges that Stillman is the father of Jay Leeds, two-year-old son of Mrs. Florence H. Leeds, former chorus girl.

Undaunted Launched

PORTLAND, Ore., April 8.—The Undaunted, the last Ferris type wooden shipping board hull to be launched in the United States, glided from the ways of the Grant Smith-Porter Shipyard yesterday. The vessel will be schooner rigged and used in the lumber trade.

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Women's Cotton Hosiery; 20c value, pair .. 5¢
Women's Lisle Hose, seamed black; 39c value .. 19¢
Women's Silk Lisle Hose, seamed black; 69c value .. 39¢
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Women's Bungalow Aprons; elastic waists; \$1.50 value. Today only .. 75¢
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Women's Undermuslins, Women's Cotton Drawers, open style; pink poplin camisoles, lace trimmed; black sateen bloomers; your choice, 2 for .. 99¢
Women's Swiss Ribbed Union Suits, low necked, sleeveless and tight knee .. 49¢
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The statement said that the unions did not contend for continuation of any rule which was not just and that it would be easy to decide at the pro- posed conference what rules could be made national and what matters would have to be settled locally.

"Our present national agreement provides the only safeguard for the transportation industry against mis- take and industrial warfare and for this reason it might not be discontinued until at the conference table an understanding has been made by in- terest groups as to the fundamental guarantee of industrial justice," said the statement in part. "We recommend therefore, the following:

1—"The right of the majority in each craft on each railroad to deter- mine what organization shall repre- sent them, this organization to have the right to negotiate an agreement which shall apply to all workers in each craft."

2—"The protection of employees against discrimination because of membership in trade unions or because of legitimate trade union activities."

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NEW PROPOSAL FROM GERMANY

Paris Expects Fresh Proposition on Reparations, it is Reported

Say Germans Making Another Effort to Interest United States

PARIS, April 8.—(By the Associated Press.)—It was stated semi-officially here today that a fresh proposition on reparations was expected from Germany. Unconfirmed reports are in circulation that the Germans are making another effort to interest the United States in the question by negotiations between Karl Bergmann, German under-secretary of the treasury, and Roland W. Hayden, formerly American unofficial representative with the allied reparations commission. Mr. Hayden, however, is now in Vienna on his way to Constantinople, it is understood. Nothing is known in official circles of a reported invitation to the allies and Germans to meet in Washington to discuss reparations, and it is declared here there is little likelihood of such procedure being favored by the allies. The present expectation is that the allies will issue an ultimatum to Germany on the expiration of the time limit set for the payment by Germany of 20,000,000 marks gold, May 1.

(In answering the recent German communication to Washington on the subject of reparations, Secretary Hughes said the United States believed that it recognized in the German memorandum "a sincere desire on the part of the German government to reopen negotiations with the allies on a new basis.")

Germany has announced that a note will be sent to the allied supreme council before May 1, embodying an offer for the employment of German labor and material for reconstruction of the devastated regions of northern France.

The allied commission on reparations today heard the German viewpoint of the maritime damage for which Germany should pay.

The German delegation here maintained that Germany should not be obliged to pay compensation for merchant vessels sunk while doing war work and under military or naval orders. Cargo lost should not be paid for, they declared, if of a military or naval nature. German ships seized in

URGED "DEFAMATION OF LABOR ORGANIZATIONS"

CHICAGO, April 8.—The authenticity of a letter alleged by labor representatives to have been signed by I. W. Geer, general manager of the Pennsylvania railroad at St. Louis suggesting "defamation of all labor organizations if necessary" to obtain information concerning a wage reduction proposal, can be substantiated by witnesses, union leaders declared before the railroad labor board today.

The board was asked to call five witnesses, including Mr. Geer, to clear up the matter. Introduction of an alleged copy of the letter before the board recently called forth a denial from Mr. Geer that he had written it.

The letter, dated March 10, 1921, was addressed to all supervisory employees and asked them to obtain information regarding the attitude of employees on a proposed wage reduction.

"In connection with this proposed investigation I would advise that you use every available means to guard information even resorting to defamation of all labor organizations, if necessary," the letter said.

INQUEST ON DEATH OF AGED FARMER

ROCKLAND, Me., April 8.—The inquest on the death of Joseph Kookin, alleged to have been beaten insensible, then hanged from the limb of a tree near his home at East War, will be held tomorrow afternoon at Warren town house. Medical Examiner G. I. Crockett announced today. An arrest, if any, will not be made until after the inquest.

allied ports or captured, if used by the government seizing them and then sunk by the Germans, should not be paid for the Germans contended, and no compensation should be paid for losses due to maritime risks nor for ships which disappeared unless Germany should be proved responsible for their disappearance. Germany admitting certain disappearances of vessels as being due to the action of the value of the cargoes for which Germany is liable to pay should be estimated at the price paid by the last owner, the German delegates asserted, and ships lost should be paid for on the basis of their value at the time they were lost.

The commission expects to announce its decisions shortly.

The Hatfield-McCoy feud that raged for nearly 30 years in the Kentucky-West Virginia mountains and resulted in 23 known deaths and an untold number of "disappearances" started in an argument over the ownership of two razorback hogs.

NEW LOCKERS FOR PUBLIC BATH HOUSE

Twenty-six new lockers are to be installed in the public bath house off Varnum avenue before the building is opened for use. This will bring the total number to 280. Employees of the park department are repairing several of those which have been damaged and the shutters on the outside of the building are being removed. Supt. John W. Kernan says the building will open at the same time the metropolitan bath houses open, probably in the middle of June, but the park department will have everything in readiness so that if a warm day comes before that time, the building can be thrown open at a minute's notice.

RECALLS KLONDIKE

Great Excitement Over Discovery of Oil in Tabasco

MEXICO CITY, April 8.—Contracts for the lease of oil lands in the state of Tabasco must receive the sanction of the department of commerce and industry, says an official announcement. There has been excitement over the discovery of oil in Tabasco and operators have rushed to the district. Most of the leases have been given to foreign oil men and confer rights to the subsoil, presenting problems much the same as encountered in petroleum developments in the Tampico fields. The Excelsior says that at Frontera, the principal port of Tabasco there are enacted scenes similar to those in the Klondike when the gold rush was on.

ELGIN LODGE

Members of Elgin Lodge, N.E.O.P., Addressed by William L. Curtis of Equity Lodge, Lawrence

Members of Elgin Lodge, 165, N.E.O.P., were addressed by William L. Curtis of Equity Lodge, Lawrence, who was recently appointed supervisor for this district at their regular meeting, which was held last evening in Veritas hall, Branch street. Mr. Curtis spoke on the campaign for 1000 new members for the order. He will be brought to a close next month, and urged the members of Elgin lodge to do their utmost in bringing the campaign to a successful end as far as their lodge is concerned. In the course of the meeting routine business was transacted and it was announced that the grand warden had divided the territory into 15 sectors. He will personally assume charge of the Boston sector.

Other sectors and supervisors are as follows: Brockton, Amos R. Gullifer and J. Wendell Gammons; North Adams, J. M. P. Jones; Springfield, Annie A. Collins, supervisor; Framingham, Charles H. Chamberlain; Worcester, James R. Nicholson; Holyoke, John W. Short; Greenfield, Thomas G. Henderson; New Bedford, Lizzie E. Gilbert; Attleboro, Eliza M. Chadwick; Cape Cod, Frank P. Cushing; Haverhill, Geo. A. Mansfield; Lowell, William F. Cull; Newburyport, Alfred Perry; Lynn and Salem, Frank W. Sweet.

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Alaska Pink Salmon	Panama Jelly
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Bananas Per Lb.	Strictly Fresh Eggs
10c	46c Doz.
Best Tub Butter	Fresh West. Eggs
49c Lb.	39c Doz.
Pure Lard, lb.	
16c	
Cheese, lb.	
34c	
Buckwheat Flour, bulk, lb.	
6c	
Pat-a-Cake Flour, pkg.	
23c	
Tomato Soup, Mother Cook Brand	
5c	
Del Monte Pears, No. 2 can	
23c	
Del Monte Cherries, No. 1 can	
30c	
Del Monte Apricots, No. 2 can	
20c	
Peas, Cordova Brand, 2 cans	
25c	
Gold Cross Evaporated Milk, 2 cans	
25c	
Grand Union Lemon and Chocolate Pie Filling, pkg.	
25c	
Grand Union Furniture Polish	
25c	
Florona Coffee, lb.	
45c	

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69c LATEST RECORDS 69c

Angels (Call Them)	Chas. Harrison
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CLEANING LADD AND WHITNEY MONUMENT

Members of the three local posts of the G.A.R. will meet this evening to decide whether the proposed cleaning of the Ladd and Whitney monument in Monument square will prove injurious to the granite. Upon the decision of the posts will depend the action of the park department. If they approve of it, Matthew A. Connor will be authorized to start the work at once; if not, the monument will remain in its present condition. At its last meeting the park commission made financial provision for the cleaning of the granite.

WAGE REDUCTIONS

Penn. R. R. Proposes Cuts of 16 to 18 Per Cent

PITTSBURGH, April 8.—Sixteen to 18 per cent wage reductions were proposed to representatives of the stationary engine and boiler room forces of the Pennsylvania railroad today. The present wage scale averages 66 cents an hour. The management contemplates also the reduction of \$1 a day from the wages of 10 month reduction for those paid monthly.

PLENTY OF ICE IN NEW ENGLAND

BOSTON, April 8.—New England has ice enough to take care of its own needs this year, President G. H. Votter of the Massachusetts Ice Dealers' association said in his address at its annual convention yesterday. A shortage exists in some localities, however, he said, adding that with existing freight rates some communities were likely to pay more than others. He urged upon ice dealers the necessity of insuring that the public receive honest weight. Instead of reducing dealer's wages, he thought it better to maintain them and raise the standard of men employed.

Big Observance Sunday

Continued

The centennial of the independence of their mother land, Greece.

Plans for the big event have been completed and all that remains to make the affair the biggest and most impressive ever conducted under the auspices of the Greek-speaking people of Lowell, is good weather.

The chief marshal of the parade, Christos Zlogos, president of the local community, has issued an order, requesting all societies and in fact all those who will participate in the big parade, to report at the Holy Trinity church in Jefferson street not later than 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon, as it is planned to start the parade at 1:30 sharp.

The roster as announced this morning will be as follows: Platoon of eight police officers, commanded by a lieutenant, band, chief marshal and staff. Greek-speaking young men who have served in the world war, in full military uniform; school children, P.E.A. Girls, Langada society, Hymns society, Rigas Frelays society, King Othon society, band and members of the community.

All those who take part in the parade will carry small American and Greek flags, with the exception of the soldiers. The parade will start at 1:30 o'clock and the revised route of march follows: Lewis street to Broadway, to Adams, to Market, to Dutton, to Thorndike, to Middlesex, to Central, to Merrimack, as far as Associate hall, where a mass meeting will be held. The exercises at the hall, over which President Christos Zlogos will preside, will consist of a special memorial service conducted by Rev. Nestor Soukides and Rev. Nicholas Menides, the priest of the church, the singing of "America" and Greek national hymns by the school children; address in Greek and English by Dr. John C. Gatsopoulos; chorus and readings by the school children; address by Rev. Nestor Soukides, and other readings and songs.

Invitations to attend the mass meeting have been sent to Mayor Thompson, Superintendent of Schools Volney, Principal Henry H. Harris of the high school, Joseph G. Payne, professor of Greek at the high school, W. C. MacDermott, Rev. Appleton Giamalis and to all the presidents of the local banks and the ex-mayors of Lowell.

Can Buy Booze Any Place

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with the words, "I think the police ought to have their attention called to this," had the defendant reiterate his charges, saying, "Here's information for you." The defendant was given another chance to provide for his wife and children.

Five months in the house of correction was the penalty imposed on James P. Felix, a second defendant charged with non-support and arrested on a capias by Lieut. Ryan and Officers Murphy and L. E. Lynch. Mrs. Felix told the court that since June, 1920, she has not received a cent from her husband, who is a chauffeur by trade. She said that she didn't know where her husband has been. Felix was surrendered by the probation officer, having failed to keep his agreement with regards to caring for his wife. He appealed the five-month sentence, and is held in bonds of \$300 for the superior court.

Abraham Amin, a third alleged non-support spouse, was brought before the court on non-support charges. His

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Live Chicken LOBSTERS 33c Lb. Sweet Navel ORANGES 35c Doz. BLOOD ORANGES 29c doz. Atwood's Seedless GRAPEFRUIT 2 for 25c KELLOGG'S CORN FLAKES 11c pkg. HORLICK'S MALTED MILK 69c Jar SPECIAL Peppermint and Old Fashioned CHOCOLATES 35c Lb. 3 Lbs. for \$1.00 FRESH PORK BUTTS 24c Lb. Special Assorted COOKIES 39c Lb. MILK FED CHICKENS 52c Lb. VAN CAMP'S KETCHUP 25c Manhattan PURE JAMS 31c Jar PLAIN OLIVES 45c Lb. STUFFED OLIVES 55c Lb. Selected BROWN EGGS 35c Doz. CALIF. PEA BEANS 3 Lbs. for 21c BAKER'S COCOA 25c can Hickory Smoked SHOULDERS 17c Lb. CUT WAX BEANS 15c can CANNED OKRA 15c can Leda Brand COFFEE 37c Lb. SPECIAL Ginger Snaps 15c Lb. BRIDAL VEIL FLOUR \$1.65 Bag	MEAT DEPT. SMALL LEAN PORK LOINS lb. 27c SMALL LEGS GENUINE LAMB lb. 35c SMALL LEAN FRESH SHOULDERS lb. 19c LEGS OF VEAL lb. 20c LEAN CORNED SHOULDERS lb. 18c FRESH NATIVE CALVES' LIVER lb. 40c MILD SCOTCH HAM lb. 48c REED'S BACON lb. 40c FORES OF SMALL LAMB lb. 13c FORES OF LAMB, Rolled, No Bone lb. 22c SPRING LAMB CHOPS lb. 35c CHOICE SIRLOIN ROASTS lb. 39c CABBAGE FREE With Corned Beef FRESH SHAD 22c Lb. JERSEY CREAMERY BUTTER 55c Lb. First Prize NUT OLEO 33c Lb. Toy Ballum Free ELGIN CREAMERY BUTTER 45c Lb. PURE LARD 17c Lb. Chocolate CREAM PIES 25c Perfettos and Cloverleafs 10c pkg. HEAVY SALT PORK 18c Lb. Lowell and Covell's Pure Caracas CHOCOLATES 69c Lb. WALNUT MEATS 52c Lb. BLUE ROSE RICE 4 Lbs. for 19c Fresh Made GINGER SNAPS 15c Lb. POUND CAKE 7 Kinds 29c Lb. WHIPPED CREAM PIES 50c Each SATURDAY Baked Beans — AND — Brown Bread VEGETABLE DEPT. Fresh Asparagus 30c, 59c Fresh Mushrooms lb. 85c Fresh Green Peas qt. 29c New Cabbage lb. 5c Fresh Crispy Beans qt. 25c Long Green Cucumbers 18c Red Ripe Tomatoes lb. 25c White Cauliflower lb. 20c Fresh Egg Plant lb. 30c Fresh Spinach pk. 39c Beet Greens pk. 35c Fresh Dandelions pk. 35c Sweet Potatoes lb. 9c Chocolate ECLAIRS 2 For 15c 1-Cardé SALAD DRESSING 35c Jar Gardenbloom TEAS 59c Lb. CHAPIN'S MARMALADE 15c Jar HOT MACARONI AND CHEESE 23c Lb. Waldorf TOILET PAPER 10c California Yellow Cling PEACHES 25c Can
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they were "at home." The court gave him until tomorrow to produce them, and continued the case until then. Bonds of \$200 were fixed. The case of Thomas Eagan, charged with drunkenness, came up on a continuance, but Judge Enright was informed that the defendant had taken advantage of the opportunity afforded him to leave town and avoid a sentence. "It'll be back," commented His Honor. Joseph Charron, charged with drunkenness, had his case continued to tomorrow to see if he will make provision for his two children. In the juvenile court, Walter J. Ferron was sent to the Lyman school, on a revoked suspension.



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BY AHERN



PLANS FOR INTER-OCEANIC CANAL

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, April 8.—A commission of American engineers is expected to arrive here soon to approve plans for an inter-oceanic canal over the Nicaraguan route. The commission is believed here to have power to take definite action on the project.

NATURE PROTECTION

An illustrated lecture on "Nature Protection" was given to the pupils of the Chelmsford high school at the close of yesterday's school session by Superintendent of Schools Putney. The talk proved interesting and instructive, while the pictures shown, a number of which were photographed by the speaker, were very pretty.

At one time in England every ambassador to that country had his own stage coach.

A MINISTERIAL CRISIS IN HUNGARY

BUDAPEST, April 8.—A ministerial crisis has arisen as a result of the visit of former Emperor Charles to this country and the national assembly has adjourned until after Regent Horthy and Premier Teleky have conferred on the situation.

During yesterday's session of the assembly a note from the premier was read, stating that he considered the stability of the government endangered, owing to "the situation of certain ministers in connection with recent events."

"I must, therefore," the note continued, "make propositions to the regent regarding the government."

Investigation of the circumstances surrounding the attempt of Charles to regain the throne has been demanded at a meeting of agrarian members of the assembly.

It appears that the anti-Carlists had confidential agents in the vicinity of the former emperor while he was in this country and it is declared they have a list of men associated with him in his attempt to re-establish himself on the throne. The agrarian deputies have urged their punishment on a charge of treason.

The anti-Carlists accuse the government of lack of energy respecting the king. They declare the government permitted him to hold a regular court at Steinmanner. Opponents of the restoration of the Hapsburgs appear to be most concerned with the role played by Bishop Miklos of Steinmanner, who in a sermon delivered last Christmas forecast "the king's resurrection" at Easter. The attitude of Gen. Lohar, governor of West Hungary, is also strongly criticized.

DANCE IN PARISH HALL

More than one hundred young people attended the dance conducted last evening in St. Anne's parish hall by St. Anne's dramatic club, and all enjoyed the program thoroughly. Those in charge of the affair were Charles Sowell, general manager; R. W. White, assistant; Murray Aspinall, floor director; Benjamin Taylor, assistant and E. Martin, clerk aid.

TO PLANT 30,000 TREES

CLEVELAND, April 8.—Thirty thousand trees are to be planted along Cleveland streets under the direction of the city forester in the week beginning today. The work will be planting week by resolution of the city council. Appropriate exercises were held in all the schools.

WASH THE EASY WAY WITH A THOR or an EDEN Electric Washer

Warm weather will soon be here—making an added discomfort to the burden of washing clothes by hand.

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Extra Large Grapefruit. 10c
California Oranges, doz. 29c
Mixed Vegetables for Soup, Regular price 10c can, Special, can 5c
Grated Pineapple, No. 3 can, 18c
Fancy Corn, 15c value, can, 10c
Campbell's Tomato Soup, Special, can 10c
5 lbs. Sugar 42c
Hecker Flour, 1-8 bag, Special \$1.35

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Men's Leather Belts 49c
Men's Shop Caps, extra value 25c
Men's Caps, new Spring patterns \$1.39

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Women's Pure Silk Hose, pair \$1.49
Women's Sport Hose. Special, per pair 89c
Women's Coronet Stainless Silk Lisle, 75c value, per pair 50c
Men's Ipswich Hose, all latest shades, pair 20c
Children's White Cotton Hose, pair 15c
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Boys' Caps

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Gray Suede and new dark tan shade and Cape, \$1.39, \$2.00

Children's Hats

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PLANS NATION-WIDE BUILDING BOOM

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Plans for a meeting of manufacturers of building material, contractors and workmen to launch a nation-wide campaign by May 1 to encourage building were presented yesterday to Sec. Davis by representatives of the national federation of construction industries and endorsed by him.

He said he heartily approved the plan of getting architects, engineers, builders, contractors, manufacturers and workmen together in council for the purpose of eliminating waste and improving building conditions.

At the same time, Sec. Hoover announced that the department of commerce had begun gradual organization of a committee to work out a standardization of building materials and a unified building code for the benefit of the entire country.

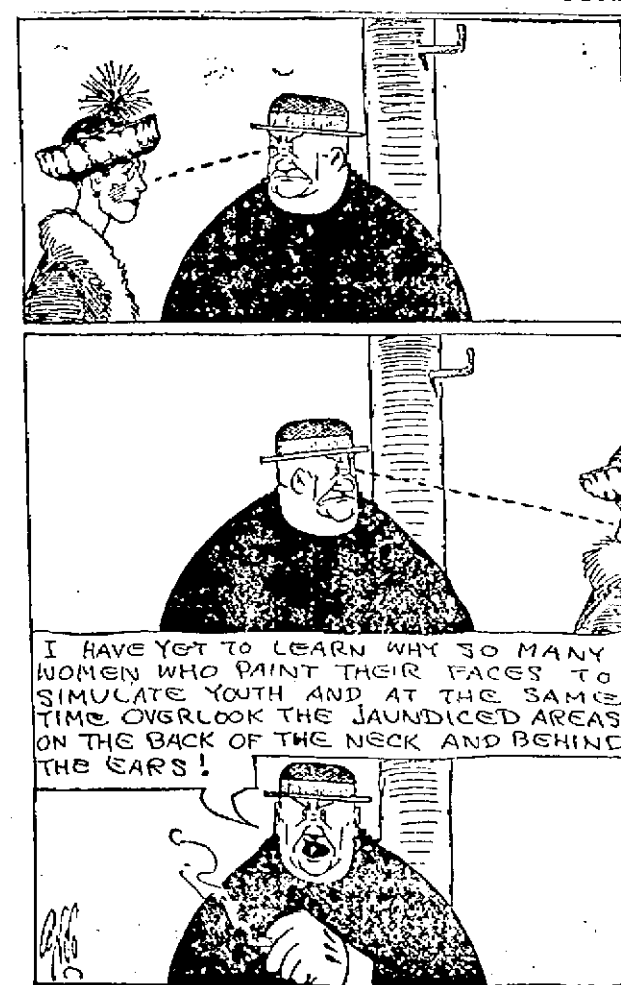
Conflicts in the building codes of different localities, Mr. Hoover explained, cause losses of from 10 to 20 per cent. In construction values in a year which could be avoided by the adoption of a single code.

Efforts are being made, he said, to get the fire marshals of cities and the architects on our side, and the building trades on the other, to agree upon a single code. Attempts to this end, he added, have been made before, but never with direct government co-operation.

BERESNACK ACQUITTED
BOSTON, April 8.—Samuel Beresnack, prohibition enforcement agent on trial charged with soliciting and accepting bribes from alleged prohibition law violators, last night was acquitted by a federal jury after 13 hours of deliberation. Beresnack's defense was that he was the victim of a "frame-up" against the prohibition enforcement system rather than against him personally.

EVERETT TRUE

BY CONDO



NORTH BILLERICA Plan on Foot to Start Co-operative Bank

The advisability of starting a co-operative bank in North Billerica will be discussed at a meeting of residents of the town, which will be held Saturday evening in the town hall. The meeting will be in charge of the following committee who has been appointed to get in touch with as many as possible, who are in favor of the project: John Barrington, P. Frank Lyons and Edgar P. Sewell.

Candidates Initiated
Loyal Asa Pollard lodge, I.O.O.F.M.U. of North Billerica held a regular meeting last evening in Union hall. There was a large attendance, considerable business was transacted and a large class of candidates was initiated by the degree team of Loyal Wainwright lodge of this city. At the close of the business session an entertainment program was given and refreshments were served.

HOOVER PLANS TO AID FOREIGN TRADE

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Exemption of the profits of American concerns doing business in foreign countries from the American excess profits and income tax laws was advocated yesterday by Secretary Hoover.

Complaints have been received from American concerns in all parts of the world, Mr. Hoover said, that they are forced to compete with foreign houses who pay only local taxes, while American concerns pay excess profits and income taxes at home in addition to the dues in the foreign countries.

Mr. Hoover declared that provision should be made to exempt American concerns from that portion of their profits derived from foreign business.

TO DECIDE IF CLAM IS MIGRATORY FISH

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The age-old question of whether a clam is a migratory fish, came to the supreme court today for decision. Mussel fishermen operating on Little River, Mo., appealed for a review of decisions holding that removal of the shellfish from a public stream passing through private property, was "trespass," despite state laws vesting all rights to game and fish in the public. The lower court held that "the fresh water mussel is a shell-fish capable of locomotion sufficient to bring it within the category of migratory fish."

RETURNS WITH REPORT ON RECENT PLEBISCITE

PARIS, April 8.—General Lerond, head of the inter-allied commission which supervised the recent plebiscite in upper Silesia, arrived in Paris today bringing with him, it is supposed, the report on the plebiscite, upon which the supreme council must before April 21, under the terms of the peace treaty, decide the boundaries between Poland and Germany in this district.

The peace treaty is interpreted as obliging the supreme council to assign to Poland the districts which gave a majority in her favor.

HERE THEY ARE

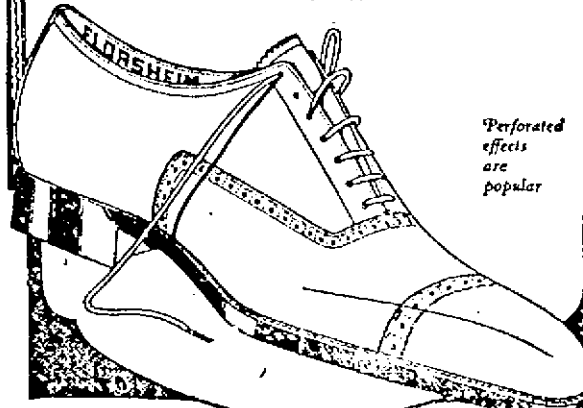
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ROBIN RED-BREAST AS PANSY THIEF

Mary Seaman, friend of birds and creatures of the open, will contribute a series of short, intimate stories of feathered friends for Sun readers. Don't miss these stories. They have the very breath of spring. The first of the series follows:

BY MARY SEAMAN

The way a Daddy Robin spoiled my pansy plants was a surprise, not altogether pleasant.

That best-loved bird of our childhood needs a certain thing for his nest. The nest simply must have it in the right quantity at house building time, or Mr. and Mrs. Robin's house building is a failure, apt to result in tragedy

before the family is out of the nest. Just in nest-building time of which I speak, the season was unusually dry, and mud, just plain, common mud, was hard to find. I was raising pansy plants in a box that was placed on a dog kennel. Twice a day while there was so little rain these plants were soaked with water, and were thriving satisfactorily. But all at once plants disappeared. Big holes were in the soil where plants should be flourishing, and there was no sign of the thief. There appeared to be no one to accuse. The box was too high for marauding chickens of the neighborhood.

Early next morning, however, the thief was found, and he was no one but Daddy Robin! The box of pansies was quite muddy, and in search for this essential for the plastering of his nest Mr. Robin located that desired

material in my pansy box, and I suppose by experimenting he found he could carry away larger quantities by tucking pansy plants, with the mud sticking to the fibrous roots. No amount of "shooing" him away could save the plants, and the box was rather empty that summer, while his nest was well plastered.

The nest was a queer one, or else it was a queer pair of robins that built it, for it was perched on a telephone pole at the cross-piece, the last place one would think the robins would choose for a nest in a town filled with trees. The nest hung there through the vicissitudes of many hard rains that followed the dry spell, and later nice young robins with fat, speckled breasts hopped about the yard, reminding me daily of why my pansy bed was empty.

GERMAN OFFICER SHOT

Killed After Making Attack on Officials of Inter-Allied Plebiscite Commission—Three Men Wounded

BERLIN, April 8.—The Berliner Zeitung reports that a German captain named Von Denning recently attacked and wounded three officials of the inter-allied plebiscite commission at Gleiwitz, Prussian Silesia. The newspaper says Von Denning was then shot down by another member of the commission.

WELFARE WORKER'S REPORT

The following report has been submitted by Inah G. Lowell, welfare worker for the Florence Crittenton league and special policeman, March 1 to April 1, 1921: Office calls, 31; calls on girls and families, 121; girls placed, 4; placed in Florence Crittenton Home, Boston, 1; court cases, 8; physicians consulted, 5; hospitals visited, 7; conferences with workers, 3; meetings attended, 6; theatres and moving picture houses visited, 5; travelers' aid cases, 4.

SNEEZE IS ACCIDENT

DETROIT, April 8.—Judge Gott's jury decided that a sneeze is an accident. That was in the suit of Mrs. Sarah Dunwoody against an accident insurance company for the death of her husband, Dr. John B. Dunwoody. He died from influenza after a patient sneezed.

Juan Fernandez island off the coast of Chile, where Alexander Selkirk, the original of Defoe's Robinson Crusoe, spent four lonely years, is to be turned into a health resort by the Chilean government. The island is 13 miles long and four miles wide.



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MUNICIPAL INVESTIGATIONS

Governor Miller of New York is shaking things up in a very aggressive way in that state. He is to redeem the state from the grasp of grafters and booters and to put the transit system in New York city on a paying basis.

The governor has really undertaken a prodigious task and one which no man is likely to accomplish in a single year.

The city of New York is to be investigated still further. The rottenness in the building trades as revealed by the Lockwood committee, has astounded everybody who did not know that corruption was rampant in New York. The municipal departments are now to come in for a taking by the investigators and although much may be found that would require a remedy, the whole proceedings will be much in the nature of looking the stable door after there have been removed the steed to cart away their loot.

Why not have a number of municipal detectives to keep after the grafters and expose them when found robbing the city? It is presumed that it is possible to find men who would render this service and be themselves above reach of the grafters.

What is true of New York is more or less true of every city. Boston has its finance commission and other cities have good government associations. But for the ordinary city a new office might advantageously be created, the incumbent of which would be required to expose anything saving of graft or corruption and have it snuffed out.

What would such an official be named? "Municipal censor" would seem to indicate his functions, although any such official would have to report to the law department or some body of citizens interested in promoting good government and eliminating extravagance and abuses of all kinds. When it comes to protecting liquor dealers and respectable houses, an evil said to prevail in some cities, there is need for an inquisitor or investigator to ferret out the facts and submit them to the proper authorities.

In some cities where such officials have been engaged, the experience was that they did their duty very satisfactorily for a time and then became as corrupt as the people they were paid to expose.

It is alleged to be one of the defects of our democratic form of government that if our chosen officials are left to themselves they will drift into a state of indifference and corruption. That may be true of some public bodies, and wherever such a tendency is shown, it is necessary for the electorate to keep close watch upon their chosen officials in order to keep them on the straight and narrow path.

The better way, however, would be to elect officials who would not need watching; but in the ordinary American city that is sometimes a very difficult matter.

WOMEN'S LEAGUE NONPARTISAN

The League of Women Voters is nonpartisan.

Its members are of all creeds, colors and conditions.

It has no political axe to grind. It urges its members to affiliate themselves with political parties. It asks only that they understand to what principles they subscribe when joining a party.

Not all citizens have the same religious belief; yet no one will deny that all truly religious societies are working for the good of mankind.

So the League of Women Voters—holding its convention in Cleveland April 11-12—believes there is good in all parties. Each individual must choose which combination of principles is most in accord with her personal beliefs.

To the great majority of women, so recently advanced to full citizenship and the right to vote, all these national questions are new. Hitherto their minds have been occupied with other, more personal matters.

They need, therefore, instruction on party fundamentals as well as on current issues.

Previous to the last national election, the first under woman suffrage, most men believed they could take the women voters into their parties with little or no instruction and that the women would vote as the men advised.

But this quickly proved to be an error of judgment. The women proved themselves in the main to have minds of their own.

With women, issues are bigger and of greater interest than parties. The League of Women Voters encourages this independence of thought.

In this lies hope for the betterment of parties. Because women, entering parties, will take with them a cleaner, saner, truer interpretation of the questions they will stand for in the parties with which they affiliate.

FOR THE UNEMPLOYED

What is needed in Lowell at the present time is something to relieve the unemployment. This is a difficult proposition. The factories are doing the best they can in the face of a falling market and lack of demand for manufactured products.

The catch is in planning to brighten but the line in prices still makes it impossible for even hazardous for manufacturing companies to bring up their products. April 11 will bring together a special session of congress, at which President Harding will outline his policy on national reconstruction.

Let all pull together for better business and an early return of industrial activity.

A long pull, a hard pull, and a pull all together, and the clouds are gone, that is what it takes to get the sun out of the clouds.

Safety first for the time being, with the Lowell plant street playgrounds, keep on in your good work, gentlemen. The Lowell plant street playgrounds, keep on in your good work, gentlemen.

SEEN AND HEARD

Railroad workers make an average of \$1000 a year, says government report. That is better showing than the whole railroading industry makes.

Gen. Pershing certainly had enough experience being the army's chief "staff" in France to make good as chief of staff in peace.

Supreme court's "mineral land" decision reaffirms the law that when you give you give. It also suggests that a state ought to know what it is giving before it gives.

Some Horn Player

The regular horn player of a southern orchestra was ill and the conductor reluctantly accepted the services of a drifter who played in an amateur brass band. He was naturally a little doubtful, however, of the technical ability of the amateur. After the first performance the new player asked the conductor how he had done. The conductor replied that he had done fairly well, but would do better, doubtless, with practice. Whereupon the new-comer exclaimed gratefully: "Boss, the music was strange to me tonight, and I ain't just shot of it; but just wait till tomorrow night and you ain't going to hear any of them fiddles at all."

What Peanut Did

Marcus Low is a graduate, with honors, from the hard school of experience. Once he was a newsboy. Now he is the owner of 300 theatres. He is only 43 years old, yet he is worth \$11,000,000 and has a pay roll of \$10,000,000 a year. He started to work at four. At 12 he began to make money. At 14 he worked as a shoe salesman. One year later he was a salesman for a printing plant. When he was 17 he quit the printing business and tried to sell for a time, but failed and owed thousands of dollars. At 23 he was selling silk capes, and he sold them for 19 years. His great drawback, however, was his height. He was only 5 feet 6 inches tall. They called him "Peanut." When Low was 29 he met David Warfield. Warfield started him in the theatrical game.

How Old Is Jazz?

Way back there, in or about the year 322 B.C., the first complaint against jazz was heard. That complaint was Aristotle, the Greek philosopher. After denouncing certain bad actors of tragedy whose gestures were far too violent, he concluded with this reproach: "They are like bad flute players who whirl themselves around as if they would imitate the motion of the discus." Though this was written more than 2300 years ago, it has a flavor. Had Aristotle's whirling flute player a saxophone and you have an up-to-date jazz player whose contortions afford delight to some while giving many others a pain. "There is no new thing under the sun," says Ecclesiastes in Holy Writ. "Is there anything whereof it may be said, See, this is new? It has been already of old time, which was before us." Aristotle, the philosopher, the whirling flute player of 322 B.C., is echoed in 1921 by Dr. Henry Van Dyke scoring jazz as "the torment of unbeliefs."

Face the Sunshine

Face the sunshine—let the shadows lie behind you.
Face the sunshine—let life's dawnings be to its light.
Face the sunshine, though at first its brightness blind you—
Face the sunshine! Keep the shadows out of sight.
Face the sunshine—let its beams your smiling lighten;
Face the sunshine—let its rays suffuse your soul.
Face the sunshine—let its warmth your pleasure heighten;
Face the sunshine and be quit of grief and dole.
Face the sunshine—let its sweet caress remind you
Of the brightness we should scatter through life's years;
Face the sunshine—let the shadows fall behind you.
And the sunshine will put rainbows in your tears!

—STRICKLAND GILLMAN.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

Whether or not "the world do move," as Encke Husta said, it certainly changes. Men now middle-aged can remember when to read dime novels was to invite an application of the trunk strap or the parental slipper. Nearly every case of juvenile delinquency that turned up was ascribed to the pernicious influence of these works of highly imaginative literature. If a couple of boys armed themselves with toy guns and bowie knives and started off to exterminate the noble rogues of the west, the act was held up as a terrible example of the effects of dime-novel reading. It did not matter that the youngsters did not usually get far from home, that perhaps they gained a little wider vision of the world as a result of their adventure, and that the worst consequences of episode were visited upon the parents, when the act was held up as a terrible example of the effects of dime-novel reading.

The author of more dime novel stories than could be counted, and a popularizer of Boston's leading newspapers, glorified his work in high terms of praise. Clearly, smoking was introduced into this country by foreigners who visited the Centennial celebration in 1876. For a long time the cigars were under the ban of general condemnation. "Cigar smoke" was a popular designation for them. Now, almost everybody smokes them and the nation that prospered the health of their troops with the greatest care during the world war, saw to it that their soldiers were abundantly supplied with them, but nevertheless the evil of abusing the habit is well known.

Consider the philosophy of the cigarette. A most interesting consideration it is. In the first place, the cigarette is a compromise. The user of the cigarette. He or she must know what is going to happen when he or she smokes a cigarette. He or she must know what is going to happen when he or she smokes a cigarette. He or she must know what is going to happen when he or she smokes a cigarette.

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BODY OF PRIVATE PERRY ARRIVES IN LOWELL

The body of Private Manuel Perry, who was killed in action in France, while serving with the 305th Infantry, has arrived in this city and has been taken to the undertaking rooms of M.



PRIVATE MANUEL PERRY

H. McBurnough Sons in Gortman street. A military funeral will be held next Sunday with representations from the local post of the American Legion and the Lisbon club, of which the deceased was a member, taking part in the services.

EAGLES BUILDING FUND ASSOCIATION

The Eagles Building Fund association conducted a successful social and dance in Associate hall last evening. There was a large attendance, the program was thoroughly enjoyed and the receipts of the evening were very substantial. The early part of the program was taken up with a concert, numbers by the orchestra and then the drawing contest was brought to a close, the winners being as follows: First prize, No. 26,664, Mary O'Sullivan, 155 Chapel street; second, 26,474, D. D. P., 254 Fletcher street; third, 17,603, Mrs. Crain, 3 (Brunswick) Watson avenue; fourth, 27,855, J. Kennedy, no address; fifth, 5251, Mary Tremblay, 13 Elliott street; sixth, 11,923, Mrs. G. Flanagan, 21 Pine avenue, Collinsville; seventh, 29,257, A. M. Spender, 15 West Baltimore street, Lynn; eighth, 23,665, A. Simon, 16 Marshall street; ninth, 4904, Jennie Ready, 144 Grant street; 10th, 25,800, John Slavin, 63 Pleasant street; 11th, 30,395, A. Kennedy, 24 Ash street; 12th, 33,170, August Lyddy, 31 Second street; 13th, 10,654, J. L. Morris, 75 Fletcher street; 14th, 15,822, J. L. Morris, 75 Fletcher street; 15th, 10,358, V. Monahan, 21 East Pine street; 16th, 31,591, Mr. Kinnane, Manchester, N. H.; 17th, 33,166, name not legible, probable address 156 Burton street; 18th, 15,332, Mrs. J. Harrigan, 343 Broadway; 19th, 33,623, Joe Galley, 22 Bassett street. The first nine winners were given prizes of \$10 each and the remainder received \$5 each.

General dancing was enjoyed till a reasonable hour. Those responsible for the success of the affair were as follows: General manager, John J. Driscoll; assistant general manager, Timothy F. Barry; floor director, William J. Durham; assistant floor director, James F. Roark; treasurer, John M. Hogan; aids, James J. Bowen, Joseph Hughes, Harvey Ames, George Freeman, Hugh J. Gallagher, Thomas F. Quinn, Peter P. Brady, David J. Hackett, William E. Carey.

MASS MEETING AT OPERA HOUSE SUNDAY

The program for the big mass meeting in the Opera House Sunday afternoon to mark the opening of the campaign for \$45,000 for Irish relief has been practically completed. As previously announced, the speaker of the

occasion will be Thomas P. Gore, former senator from Oklahoma and an orator of note. Capt. W. C. MacFarlane will be chairman of the meeting and Fred H. Royce, county supervisor, will open the program. Entertainment numbers will be given by Andrew A. McCarthy, bartender, Miss Grace Dore, harpist, and members of the Choral club of the League of Catholic Women. A capacity audience is expected. Admission will be free and the general public is invited. The doors will be thrown open at 2.30 o'clock.

PRICE OF BREAD DROPS CHICAGO, April 8.—The price of pound loaves of bread was reduced today from 10 to 9 cents by a concern operating a chain of stores.

CHARACTER PARTY Prizes of gold coins for the best costumes were won by Theodore Olson, Miss Orpah Stark, and Miss Jennie Nelson, last evening at the character party of Lodge Norman, No. 76, Order of Vasa, held at Highland hall.

Mrs. Lorraine Leth and Theodore Olson in the grand march. A "fish pond" was in charge of Mrs. Emma Dahlgren and Miss Edith Wahlgren.

Mrs. Inga Pederson and Miss Gerda Johnson directed the distribution of the cream and tonic. Others who directed the party were: Floor director, Mrs. Esther Johnson, with following aids: Miss Edith Wahlgren, Miss Gerda Johnson, Mrs. Emma Dahlgren, Mrs. Inga Pederson, Carl Anderson, Mrs. Doris Olson, Ernest Anderson, Albert Carlson, Edwin Engquist.

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All the good colors in both grades. \$2.35 for Fine Madras Shirts—\$3.00 value.

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Domino Syrup

is in favor every day in the year!



Its appealing color and sweet sugar cane taste make it particularly inviting on the table. Try Domino Syrup in cooking—for making sauces—over baked apples and ice cream, in baked beans and puddings. The more ways you use it, the more it will be appreciated by all your folks.

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The same large and happy family that makes Domino Cane Sugars makes Domino Syrup. It is a matter of distinct pride with them that every Domino product is the best that can be made. And

to achieve and maintain this end, they labor carefully and understandingly. So every woman can have confidence and assured satisfaction when ordering a Domino product from her grocer.

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Pine Tar Paper, Sheet, 13c Roll, \$1.35

Cedar Paper, Sheet, 21c—Roll, \$2.20

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63 MARKET ST.

MIDDLESEX WOMEN'S CLUB

Monday, April 11, at 4 o'clock—Lecture by Sir Paul Pears on "Secret Service in Red Russia." Sir Paul Pears is a renowned English journalist, author and member of the Secret Service, who has had amazing adventures in Russia. He was recently knighted by King George for his remarkable services. An interesting feature of the lecture will be his playing of some phonograph records of Lenin and Trotsky making speeches.

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SALE BEGINS TOMORROW MORNING, SATURDAY

Every Garment on Sale—Nothing Reserved—No Reasonable Offer Refused—The Following at a Glance Tells Part of the Bargains Offered:

**\$20.00 NEW POLO
Coats - - \$9.95**

**\$25.00 ALL WOOL JERSEY
Suits - - \$12.85**

**\$25.00 NEW CAPE
Wraps - \$9.95**

**PONGEE
Waists : \$1.85**

**\$1.98 FRENCH VOILE
WAISTS OR MIDDY
BLOUSES 90c**

**\$5 AND \$6 CREPE DE CHINE
Waists - - \$2.85**

**—\$1.50—
Gowns - - 55c**

**\$5, \$6 AND \$7 GEORGETTE
Waists, \$2.85**

**CREPE
Bloomers, 40c**

**\$3.00 COTTON TAFFETA
Petticoats, 90c**

**\$1.50 FIRST QUALITY SILK
Stockings, 50c Pr.**

**\$3 Fancy Lace Trimmed or Embroidered
Petticoats, 90c**

\$19.75 DRESSES in Satin, Georgette, Taffeta and Tricotine, Sale Price **\$7.85**

Hundreds of Other Wonderful Bargains too Numerous to Mention—Come Early and Get Your Pick

SALE BEGINS TOMORROW, SATURDAY, AND ENDS SATURDAY, APRIL 23

AMERICAN APPAREL SHOP

JAPANESE CROWN PRINCE TO VISIT ENGLAND

LONDON, April 8.—The crown prince of Japan is expected to arrive at Portsmouth on the morning of May 9 and will be met on behalf of the king by the Prince of Wales, who will accompany him to London. For three days the crown prince will be the guest of King George at Buckingham palace and for a week subsequently he will be the guest of the government.

The place of residence for the royal visitor has not yet been decided. There will be three banquets given in his honor, one by the king at Buckingham palace on the night of his arrival, one by the Prince of Wales and one by the British government. There will also be a banquet and reception at the Guildhall.

On the part of the Japanese there will be a banquet and reception by the embassy and entertainments by the Japan society and the Japanese colony. Afterward the prince will make a tour of the provinces. He is expected to be in this country about three weeks, and it is thought, will then visit France and other countries on the continent.

The prince's official party will number 15 in addition to servants and valets. With the crown prince will come Prince Kan'in, a member of the imperial family who was selected by the emperor to accompany his son, Count Chinda, member of the privy council and former ambassador in London; General Nara, in charge of the prince's military education; Viscount Iriye, grand chamberlain; Viscount Tsuchiya, chamberlain; Mr. Satou, master of ceremonies; the secretary of the Tokyo foreign office, naval and

military aide de camps and two doctors. The king has appointed the following attaches to the royal Japanese party during the prince's stay in England: Admiral the Hon. Sir Stanley Colville, First Naval A.D.C. to the king; General Sir Charles Monte, A.D.C. General to the king; late commander-in-chief in India; Captain Sir R. Godfrey Haussart, courier to the king and Messrs. Lampton and Ashton Gwatkin of the foreign office.

THE HARDING AND COOLIDGE VEILS

This introduces the Florence Harding veil and the Coolidge veil, the newest and smartest modes in spring veiling.

The Harding veil is black with a

cerise pattern. It is reversible in that

it can be worn with either the coarse

or fine mesh over the face. The

fine mesh design transforms the plain

saler into a smart creation. No other

trimming is needed.

The Coolidge veil is navy blue

embroidered with gray shells and has

small blocks of blue velvet around

the border. It is square and can be

worn in different ways. It may be

used as a page drapery or caught up

close around the chin as in the picture,

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HENRY W. TAFT WARNS AGAINST REDS' TRADE

(Special to The Sun)
NEW YORK, April 8.—"America cannot and must not sanction a resumption of trade relations with the soviet government of Russia."

This is the message which Henry W. Taft, a brother of the ex-president, will carry through the country in a series of lectures during the next two months.

Taft is a lawyer, member of the firm of Wickesman and Taft, which is well known in Wall street. He looks much like the ex-president. "Bolshevism has burned itself out by practical demonstration," says Taft. "Its life and its sting are gone, as is the dread of Europe from its source."

"Viewed today communism, as preached in Russia, is left with but two fundamentals. One is the presentment advocating overthrow of all organized government; the other, the silent hostility against every nation."

"Russia in reality has declared war on all nations by the very reason of the Bolshevik principles to which it adheres."

"Soon there will come a new order of things in Russia. It is presaged

by the tenseness of the recent mass-ings of Russia."

Deasant Dredges
"In the stolidity of the Russian peasant rests the country's liberation. He has taken his belongings out of the cities and has gone back to the farms. Bolshevism offers no appeal to him. He has food, land, crops and a bed to sleep on. With these wants satisfied he refuses to embrace himself in communism and Bolshevism."

"Another reason for the downfall of Bolshevism is that Bolshevism had no sense of humor."

"The government that supplants it, following the great revolt to come, will be a representative form of government, patterned after democracy."

"Probably we will be able to open trade with this supplanting government but it is sure that we cannot even think of securing negotiations with a government, such as now controls Russia, and which preaches our overthrow as a fundamental."

K. OF C. TRIBUTE TO
"MIRACLE MAN"

NEW YORK, April 8.—Thousands of Knights of Columbus in the United States and Canada, will join in a pilgrimage on April 17 to the crypt of St. Joseph on Cote-des-Neiges at Montreal, where they will pay homage to Frere Andre, sacristan of the shrine and known as Canada's "miracle man."

Frere Andre's shrine stands opposite the seminary of the Holy Cross on the outside of Montreal. Inside it are clusters of crutches and bandages left by pilgrims who came for healing.

PRACTICE OF CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
LINCOLN, Neb., April 8.—A bill legalizing the practice of Christian Science was passed by the Nebraska legislature yesterday. The bill subjects

Christian Science practice to state quarantining laws. An amendment to make the practice subject to state public health laws failed. The bill now goes to the governor.

DROP IN COMMODITY PRICES
NEW YORK, April 8.—Commodity prices in March declined 1.1 per cent according to compilations by Trade-Street, announced yesterday. Fully one-half of all the commodities were lower than in February.

The 45.1 per cent decline from the peak point of February 1, 1920, shows that 78 per cent of the rise from the pre-war level of August 1, 1914, has been cancelled.

Eyes Tired?
If your eyes are tired and overworked; if they itch, ache, burn or smart, go to any drug store and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets. Drop one tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and use to bathe the eyes from two to four times a day. You will be surprised at the rest, relief and comfort Bon-Opto brings.

Note: Doctors say Bon-Opto strengthens eyesight 50% in a week's time in many instances.

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CHICKENS, FOWL, BROILERS, Native Killed

Sporting News and Newsy Sports

THEY DON'T COME BACK

"Old Timers" Bow to Youthful Opponents at Crescent Boxing Show

It was "Old Timers" night at the Crescent A.A. boxing show last evening and again the old adage "Youth will be served" scored a victory.

In the main event Bill McKinnon, of Roxbury, hero of many a thrilling battle, attempted to stage a come back against the youthful and aggressive Ted Jamieson, formerly of Milwaukee, now of Boston, but with the sturdy gamely to his task and at times showed flashes of his old time form, he could not cope with the speedy and exceptionally clever youngster and was forced to bow to the inevitable. McKinnon, however, showed that he has lost none of his cunning, and many times he tied up his opponent and covered up, effectively working his long left skillfully and his footwork and long range boxing were of a high order. For a big man he's very fast, and he had the veteran McKinnon a sliced once all the way. Jamieson pulled up a formidable lead as the bout wore on and the decision in his favor was the only one possible.

Johnny Boyle, of Lowell, another veteran of the ring, who a few years ago could and did give any boy of his weight a battle, appeared against Frank Molins, also of this city, in the second bout. It went the distance, eight rounds, to a decision for Boyle. Boyle boxed well for a man who has been away from the game so long and surprised many by negotiating the journey. Molins was expected to stop the veteran early, but he evidently left his haymaker at home and showed content to outlast and outbox. It proved a fairly good boxing exhibition. The first bout of eight rounds between "Brick" Claven, of Lowell, and Jimmy Criley, of Lawrence, was a strenuous number. Claven, boxed here several years ago, but has been inactive for a couple of years. He showed well, particularly against such an experienced performer as Criley. The Lawrence boy won the decision.

FROM ONE OLD BOY TO ANOTHER

Somewhere Near Lowell, Sunday, April 1, 1921.

My Dear Bob—I wish I could dig a can of worms, get mother to put up a lunch of brown bread and russet apples, and then, with Brother Tom and the lawsons, go to the pool over south of (you know) here and fish for bullheads.

Them was the happy days, as the poet has it. "The fish were common, the atling and his maddy, we killed a snake of two, it being the brutal nature of a boy to want to kill something. There were wild flowers all about, and the sun of our resurrections was to get home by supper time."

Of course there was work to be done in the garden, but, fortunately, I never disliked that. Even after the years that have elapsed, I can see that garden just as it was laid out, and remember the day that brother and I hoed potatoes without our shirts. I don't know why we took them off. Because we were boys.

Deacon Forbes leaned over the fence and said: "You boys had better get your clothes on. Remember, you are not Indians."

And he was right. Bless us, the blisters that came and the howls we emitted as mother grazed our backs and told us never to do that again. Pretty good days, just the same. If the world is in the position it should be, there is an apple tree north of the old home, in the back lot, that produces early red apples, very red, and very sour. On a market stand I wouldn't give a continental whoop for them at 20 cents a ton.

But they didn't belong to us, and they were very hard and crinkling, and finally getting them without being detected.

One of the most humiliating episodes that comes to my mind is the memory of mother's forcing me to call on our neighbor and announce to her that I had been stealing her sweet apples and was sorry for the deed. It is truly that I am made.

I was sorry that I had been caught stealing fruit and had made up my mind that I would do my future pilfering in a sweater market. But as for being sorry that I had been able to get hold of a bushel or more of those big, juicy Golden Sweet—nothing stirring. I'd steal some now if I could have a boy's appetite and go hardfoot.

We were not bad in the sense of being criminal, at any time. We were just boys.

There isn't any news. We are pretty well and busy.

Here's love to all.

As ever, BOB.

COMING BACK



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CRESCENT ALLEYS

HIGH SCORES IN BOWLING TOURNAMENT

Devlin and Sullivan are showing fine form in the city bowling tournament being conducted at the Crescent alleys. They have set up marks of 355 and 384, respectively, for three stringed strings. Devlin also is a member of the leading two-man team for the week, he and Flanders having a total of 761 for three stringed. Watson has the best single of the week with 143.

The leading figures this week follow:

Individual—Sullivan, 355; Schombert, 355; Flanders, 354; Flynn, 348; Poirer, 341.

Two-men—Flanders and Devlin, 761; Flynn and Quinn, 695; Dr. Houns and Dr. Houns, 660; Sullivan and Kemp, 650.

Three-men—Schombert, Flanders and Devlin, 1921; Sullivan, Houston and Kempton, 1961; Ecklund, Watson and Doyle, 241; Kempton, Peadar and Doyle, 281.

Three-picked strings—Devlin, 133-121-122; total, 356; Sullivan, 121-126-122; total, 331.

Wednesday's three-string winner—Sullivan, 368.

Watson, high single, 118.

POLO LEAGUE STANDING

Team	W	L	T	P.C.
New Bedford	20	10	0	67.0
Fall River	14	20	0	41.0
Providence	11	26	0	29.0
Hartford	5	61	0	47.1
Worcester	5	59	0	44.3
Lowell	48	11	0	81.0

No schedule last night.

WHERE THEY PLAY TONIGHT

Providence at Lowell.

Worcester at Hartford.

New Bedford at Fall River.

POLO NOTES

Providence here tonight.

The Lowell defense men will again have a busy time tonight to hold Kid Williams and Harry Thompson in check.

Kid, who is determined to top the league goal score this season, has been running wild in recent games.

The other night he equalled the league record by scoring ten goals in one game.

Chick, Hoot and Capt. Quigley are out to stop him tonight.

Jimmy Purcell, who recently joined the Providence team, and who has been playing a fine game at goal, will make his initial bow to Lowell fans in a Gold Bug uniform tonight.

Davies and Alexander, Lowell's speedy offensive pair, who are improving their team play with every game, will have their work cut out for them trying to get by Big, Sexy Lyons and Archie Blairhead, but they are confident of breaking through a sufficient number of times to land the verdict.

Jim Graham has been assigned to referee tonight's game.

Fans are greatly interested over the proposed Lowell-New Bedford post-season series. Nothing has been heard from New Bedford, but it is understood that the players and management are giving the challenge of the Lowell five due consideration.

AMATEUR BASEBALL

The Congress A.C. challenge any 15-16-year-old team in the city. The following players are requested to report on their fair grounds Saturday at 2 p.m., as there is a game scheduled: Conlin, Flitt, Vaughn, Daler, Ward, LaFramme, Johnson, Garrity, Herson, Smith and O'Donnell.

The Young Athletics, 2nd, would like to challenge any team, coming from 12 to 18 years of age. The lineup is as follows: J. Mack P. McKenzies, C. John Sousa, D. John Gorman, B. C. Corcoran, B. J. Rafferty, S. S. Molony, Jr., E. Clancy, Jr., Jean Sousa, et.

SPORTING NOTES

When Dempsey plays in vaudeville he doesn't play heavy pairs.

Think of the fuss over the Davis cup. Suppose someone had donated a bottle or a saucer?

Every time a major club lets go of a player some minor crew benefits. It's an ill wind, etc.

Before a battle boxers weigh in. After it, some of them are way out.

The Pirates are all set to hold other crews up, in the rare for pennant gold.

Jess Willard once beat Kenans, but it wasn't Dempsey's manager. They called him "Soldier."

Miller Huggins has three of a kind trying out for one position on his team and a pair trying out for another. No wonder he says he's got a full house.

Landis should be a judge of tennis. It's played in court.

W. W. Kinney, who jumped the Athletics in 1920, wants to play ball again. Kinney? No, says Landis.

"Now is the time to swat the fly," Dabo Ruth.

"I think Babe Ruth will get a lot of home runs this year—but not off me," Walter Mills.

The Lord who's elected to play second base for the Boston Braves is not a flyver. His first name is Russell.

Whether the Tanks or Giants live or die New York will always have its battery.

There is more interest in "where the stars that are going to be" than in "where are those who need to be."

A gutter kicks a whole lot—not a slice.

Over 400 schools will enter track teams in the Penn relays this spring.

Not even Babe Ruth does everything he's reported to do.

Ty Cobb pulled the first squeeze play of the new baseball year. No, Ty isn't making his players to be dumb-bells.

Frank Wilbert Robinson likes the climate in New Orleans for spring training, so well he's decided to train in Florida next year.

Wilbert Robinson is wearing one of his trademark blue ties this spring. Doubtless, he is looking for his followers to show some of their 1921 form.

"Shuffling" Phil Douglas of the Giants is looking forward to the world series at this fall. He expects to buy 40 acres more of Tennessee land.

Even about the lady's hair being low, we level they can still have of making the thanks in spring comes.

Wrestling Carnival

—TONIGHT—

At Y. Gym.

B. & M. Car Shops

vs. Y. M. C. A.

ADMISSION 35c

TROUTING TIME



Trouting time is here. Frank Gerety, veteran sportsman of Monticello, N. Y., hooked a 15-inch speckled beauty in a stream in Sullivan county, just as the camera clicked.

SETH TANNER



Some are more or less good, some are more or less bad, some are found out. Speakin' o' fire risks, we don't see many long flowin' whiskers in this here gasoline age.

Pioneers of the Klondike who braved the regions of the north more than twenty years ago are founding an organization to be known as the Yukon Order of Pioneers.

MAKING GIANT PEP HUGHEY'S JOB



JOHN MCGRAW (TOP) STUDYING HIS PROSPECTIVE PENNANT WINNERS. LOWER INSET SHOWS HUGHEY JENNINGS, NOW CAST IN THE ROLE OF THE GIANTS' PEP-MAKER. PICTURES SNAPPED BY BOB DORMAN, THE SUN'S PHOTOGRAPHER.

EN ROUTE WITH NEW YORK GIANTS, April 5.—Status of Hughey Jennings, newcomer to the Giants staff of pitchers, is settled, apparently. Jennings will earn his salt by manning the Giant pep.

The McGraw regime is slated to use a heavier hand in stirring fan sentiment than he did in 1920.

The grizzled leader of the Gothamites wants to win another pennant before he begins hiring men to run his Giants.

McGraw—always a hard worker in his own training camp—is showing more enthusiasm than ever. Jennings' job for the present at least, is to coach, sing out his colorful "E-V-A-S, pick grass and lavishly spit the Jennings brand of pep.

McGraw is in uniform every day. He sits in the dugout and continues his little Napoleon strategy of winning ball games.

When Jennings gets the hang of

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CLOTHES FOR MEN

Then, Tellar, Mgr.

—48— CENTRAL ST.

Things in the National League, even his chance may come.

It is just as much of a step—each more so perhaps—for a manager to change leagues as it is for players. Styles of doing things in Johnson's circuit differ from those practiced in the other seven clubs.

Also Jennings must learn his new players—their weaknesses and strong points—as well as those of the men on the other seven clubs.

Neither McGraw nor Jennings will discuss their present relations. McGraw does say that the running of the team after the season starts will

be the same as it is now.

So that's the dope on these two at this stage. McGraw and Jennings enjoy each other a lot.

Both like their little jokes. Occasionally they play mind and short during the warm-ups.

They crowd themselves into the batting practices, just as if it was essential that they keep their batting eyes in trim.

Jennings should be a big help to McGraw.

A law prohibiting street railways

charging more than half-fare for passengers obliged to stand was passed by the Missouri house of representatives recently.

DOINGS OF THE DUFFS



I WISH ALL YOU MEN WOULD STEP INTO MY OFFICE FOR A FEW MINUTES—I HAVE SOMETHING TO SHOW YOU!

ALL RIGHT, MR. DUFF!

I WISH ALL YOU YOUNG LADIES WOULD STEP INTO MY OFFICE FOR A FEW MINUTES!

YES SIR!

YES SIR, I'LL BE RIGHT IN MR. DUFF!

BOSS, WILL YOU COME OVER TO MY OFFICE FOR A MINUTE!

I WANTED YOU ALL TO SEE THE LATEST PHOTOGRAPH OF MY SON, DANNY! WHAT DO YOU THINK OF IT?

Mr. Duffman

Because PARIS Garters wear so long most men don't know how many months they last. Keep track next time—you'll be a PARIS booster forever.

A. STEIN & COMPANY

Take a tip—buy Paris today—remember they've been

LOWERED IN PRICE BUT NOT IN QUALITY.

HAVERHILL SHOE CUTTERS BRIEF BUT IMPORTANT

ASK \$50 A WEEK WIRE DESPATCHES

HAVERHILL, April 7.—Agents for the 1700 shoe cutters affiliated with the Shoeworkers' Protective union today announced that the workers had agreed to submit price lists to the manufacturers calling for a wage of \$50 a week and a 10 to 14 per cent increase on piece work. The present weekly scale is \$43 minimum. The present price lists in the shoe industry expire April 30.

The action of the cutters is based upon the report of one of their agents who was a member of the shoe commission that visited all the big shoe centers of the country for data to assist in the task of drawing up new price lists for Haverhill. The shoe commission consisted of the cutters agent and one representative each of the manufacturers' association and the chamber of commerce. They gathered data on wage scales, working conditions and living costs.

The action of the cutters is expected to influence other locals of the Shoeworkers' Protective union in the price lists they submit as the cutters are the dominant shoeworkers organization. It is generally conceded that the manufacturers will attempt to readjust wages on a downward scale.

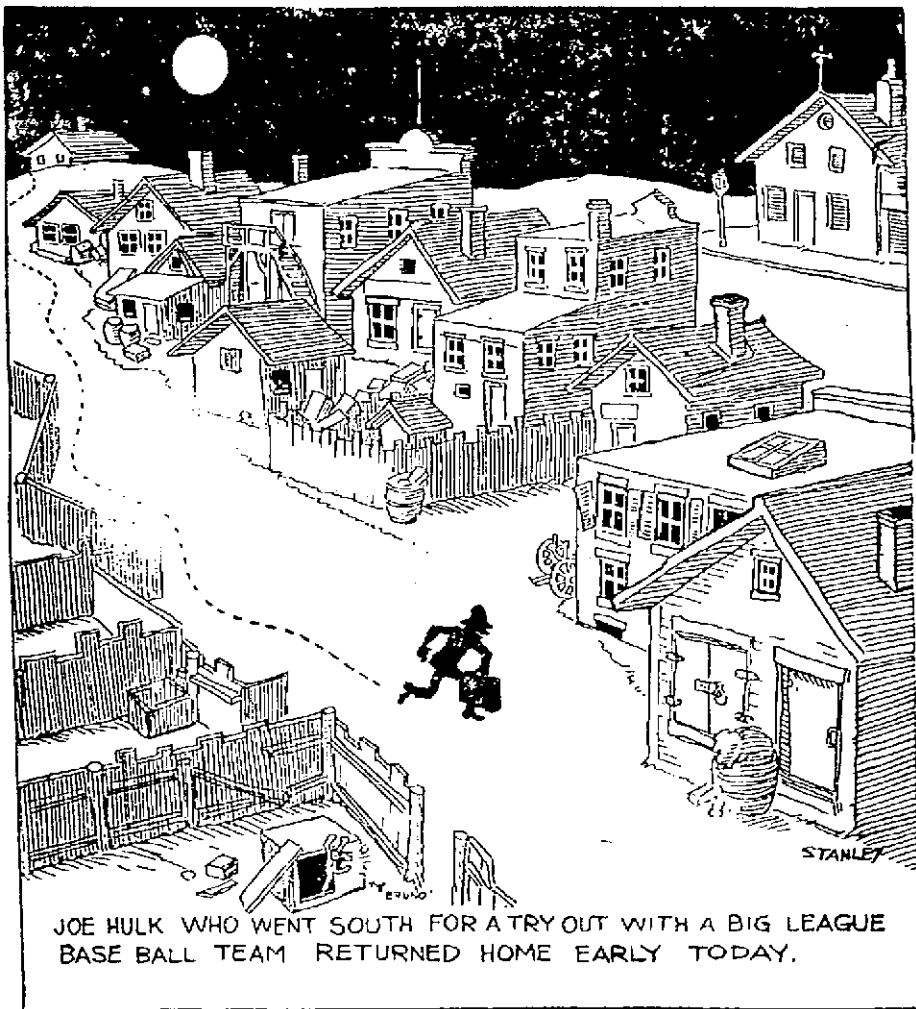
BRINDELL AT WORK IN SING SING

OSSINING, N. Y., April 7.—Robert P. Brindell, former president of the New York Building Trades council and one of the highest paid labor leaders in the United States, was sent to work today pushing a hand roller over the lawn at Sing Sing prison, where he has just begun a five years' sentence for extortion from builders. His working hours are from 5 to 4 with an hour for lunch.

CONCORD, N. H., April 7.—Leslie P. Snow of Rochester, president of the state senate, it was announced today, has been nominated for the place on the supreme court bench of the state made vacant by the retirement of Judge Reuben E. Walker of Concord, because of the new limitation.

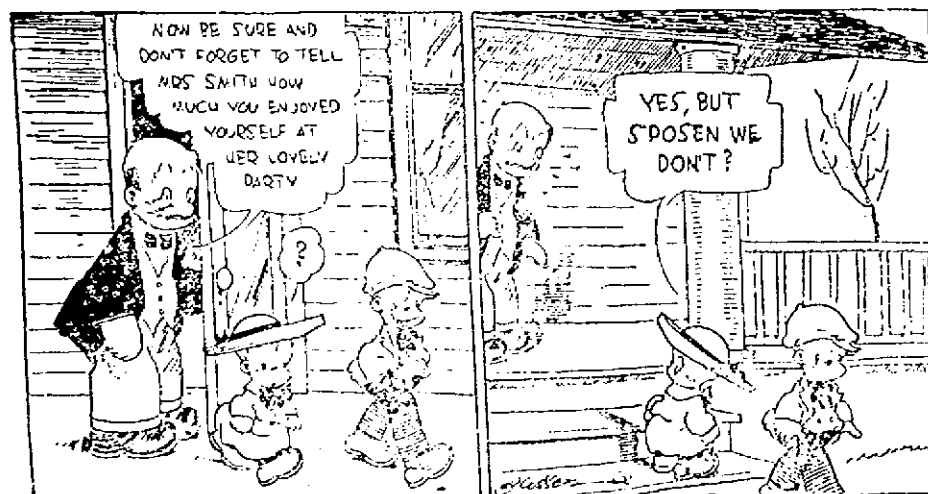
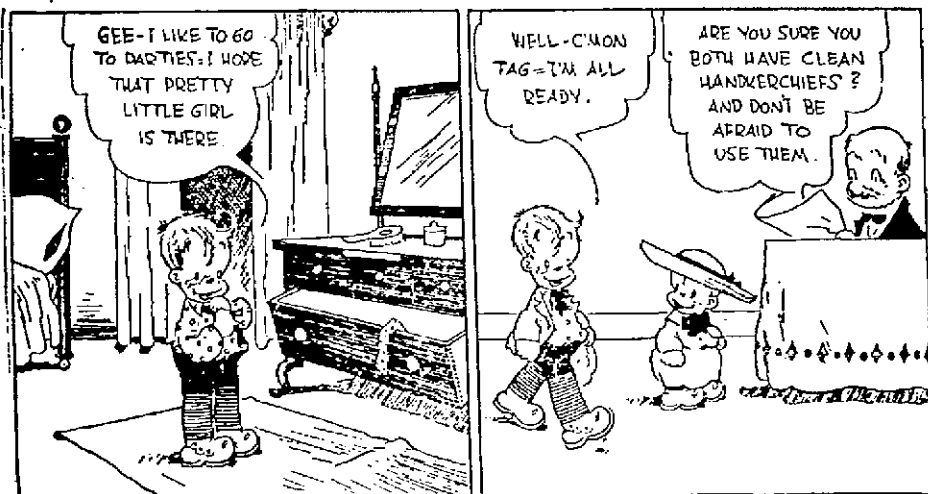
THE OLD HOME TOWN

BY STANLEY



FRECKLES AND HIS FRIENDS

BY BLOSSER



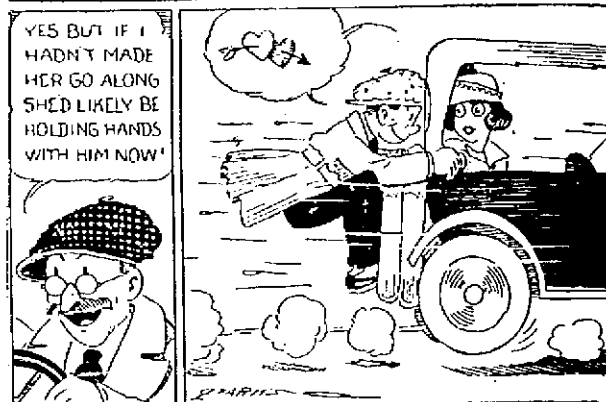
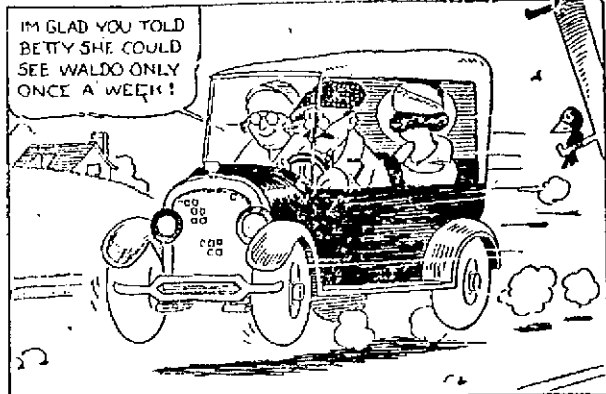
by the new tax program will be concluded probably Saturday by the secretary and his staff of advisers.

NASHUA, N. H., April 7.—State Commissioner of Labor John S. R. Davis today announced his finding in the wage dispute between C. E. Taylor Shoe Co. and its employees a reduction of 10 per cent, effective May 1. The company had declared a cut of 20 per cent.

HARTFORD, Conn., April 7.—The body of Warren P. Bristol, manager of the Hartford division of the Connecticut Company's trolley lines, was found today in Keney Park, north of

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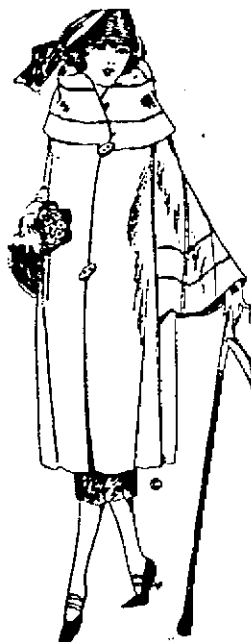
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Petticoats

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Petticoats \$5.00 and Up

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A manufacturer's surplus stock, all wanted color combinations.

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Jersey Sport Coat, in all shades, from

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A big shipment of exclusive styles, \$7.98 values. Friday and Saturday \$5.00

Dainty White Voile Waists—Regular \$2.98. Choice \$1.95

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Pure Silk Hose, \$1.00, \$1.39, \$1.95
Fibre Silk Hose—Special value... 19¢
Extra Size Silk Hose, \$1.39, \$2.50

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Charming Taffeta Dresses

New models. See them with ruffles, tunics, hemstitching, all good colors. They are worth \$30.00. Very special at..... \$19.75

300 New House Dresses

In up-to-the-minute styles... \$1.85

Tea Aprons. Special value.... 59¢

the city, with a bullet wound in the head. Medical Examiner Costello said it appeared to be a case of suicide.

BALTIMORE, Conn., April 7.—William E. Peck, general manager of the Baltic Mills Co. for the last 14 years, died at his home here today. He was born in East Greenwich, R. I., 64 years ago. He was active in the National Association of Cotton Manufacturers.

PINEBURST, N. C., April 7.—B. P. Morgan, Waterbury, shot a 55 today in his second round match with 40 Scholten, Detroit, in the north and south amateur golf championship, winning 3 and 2.

NASHUA, N. H., April 7.—The New Hampshire conference of the Methodist Episcopal church today voted to retain its three-district organization and referred to a special committee a proposal to unite with the Vermont conference.

Nature's Remedy
KIDNEY TABLETS
Better than Pills—GET A
For Liver, etc.
FRED HOWARD, 197 Central St.



FORECAST OF WINTER WHEAT CROP

WASHINGTON, April 7.—Forecast of a winter wheat crop of about 621,000,000 bushels was made today by the Department of Agriculture basing its estimate on the condition of the crop April 1, which was 91 per cent of a normal.

There was an increase of 31 points in condition from December 1, last to April 1, this year, compared with an average decline of 15 points between

those dates in the last 10 years. The production forecast is based upon the average planted last fall, with the assumption of average abandonment and average influence on the crop to harvest.

Production of rye was forecast at 66,356,000 bushels from a condition of 90.3 per cent of a normal. Water wheat conditions April 1 last year was 75.6 per cent of a normal, and production 577,683,000 bushels. On April 1, 1919, it was 50.9 per cent and production 435,503,900 bushels, while in 19 year average condition is 83.6 per cent.

Ship Captain's License Suspended

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 7.—Federal steamboat inspectors here today suspended the master's license of Captain Edward M. Milliken of the steamer Island Belle of Block Island for five months, effective March 31 past, after the captain had been found guilty by the inspectors of operating his vessel on March 15 in a heavy fog without blowing danger signals and also for grounding his ship on Clay Head, off Block Island.

Two More Slain in Ireland

RELEASE, April 7.—John Weymas, a former policeman and John Gillingham, a former soldier, were taken from their homes in Loughglina, near Castlebar, in County Roscommon, and shot dead today.

For Paymaster General of Navy

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Appointment of Captain David Potter, paymaster of the Atlantic fleet, to be paymaster general of the navy, succeeding Rear Admiral Samuel McGowan, retired, will be recommended to the president by Secretary Denby. Rear Admiral C. J. Peoples, acting paymaster general, was not a candidate for the post, having refused to have his name presented by former Secretary Daniels.

Crew of Steamer in Mutiny

SAN FRANCISCO, April 8.—The steamer Willhelo, accompanied by a United States cruiser, is steaming up the Mexican coast with her crew in mutiny, according to a message received here today by the steamer's owners, the Williams Line of New York.

Providence Policeman Shot By Woman

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 8.—William H. Callahan, a policeman, was shot and probably fatally injured this morning by Mrs. Sophia A. Francis, a laundry worker, at her boarding house here. It is alleged that Callahan, a veteran of the world war, had been a frequent visitor at Mrs. Francis' room. He took out a license last July to marry her, but this morning he told the woman that he was already married. She is a widow.

DEATHS

TURGEN.—Willard, aged 7 months and 4 days, infant son of Albert and Helene Turgene, died last night at the home of his parents, 105 Railroad street.

RUFFLE.—Mrs. Mary E. Ruffe, aged 53 years, a resident of Newbury for the past 30 years, died this morning at St. John's hospital. She leaves a son, John F. Ruffe of Boston.

BURGESS.—Mrs. Margaret Burgess, widow of William Burgess, died this morning after a very short illness, while visiting at Ayer, Mass. Her body was brought to Lowell and taken to the home, 113 Hale street, by Undertakers Charles H. Molloy's Sons. She is survived by two sons, John Henry Adams and William Burgess, and one daughter, Miss Margaret Burgess, one brother, John H. Mullin of Somerville. She was a former well known resident of St. Patrick's parish where she was a member of the Married Women's society.

NORTON.—Mrs. Mary A. Norton, an old resident of this city, died this morning at her home, 765 Moody st., after a brief illness. Mrs. Norton was born in Lowell and resided here all her life, having a wide acquaintance and was beloved by all who enjoyed her acquaintance. She was one of the pioneer parishioners of St. Columba's church, and prominent in the parish affairs. She is survived by her husband, John Norton, one sister, Mrs. B. Slavin, two brothers, John J. and Bernard J. Kelly of Lowell and several nieces and nephews.

BEHREND.—Ruth Behrend, infant daughter of Rudolf and Liddy Behrend, died yesterday morning at 351 Massachusetts street, Dracut. Funeral took place this morning at 10 o'clock from her parents' home, 351 Methuen street. Burial was in the Edison cemetery, in charge of Undertaker Joseph Urquhart.

CLOSTON.—Miss Jessie Irene Closton, a native of this city, but for the past 15 years a resident of Boston, passed away this morning at the Lowell General Hospital as a result of burns she received at the home of her parents, 353 Christian street, while making a visit. Miss Closton was born in this city, educated in the public schools and was a graduate of the Massachusetts Normal School at Boston. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Closton of this city; four sisters, Mrs. T. Whelan of this city, Mrs. Lena M. Good of Brookline, Mass., Mrs. Laura M. Jennings of Roxbury, and Mrs. Harry M. Fox of Dracut; three brothers, Henry T. and Ralph W. Closton of Boston, and Frank G. Closton of this city; also by several nieces. Miss Closton was a member of the Park Street Congregational church of Boston. Her body will be removed to the home of her sister, Mrs. T. Whelan, 131 Methuen street, by Undertaker William H. Saunders.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Joseph Mahan of this city and Miss Katherine Mason of North Billerica were married Wednesday afternoon at St. Andrew's rectory, North Billerica, by Rev. David J. Murphy, pastor. Miss Nellie Downey of North Billerica acted as bridesmaid, while the best man was Mr. Eugene Mahan of Lowell, a brother of the groom. After a honeymoon trip the couple will make their home in North Billerica.

IN MEMORIAM

TRULL.—In loving memory of our dear wife and mother, Mrs. Livona Z. Trull, who passed away April 8, 1919. Gone but not forgotten by
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The question of fitting out the boy for the Spring and Summer is no easy one to solve.

He needs a suit and several other things. To get service as well as style and fit in boys' clothing is rather difficult ordinarily, but if a visit is made to the boys' department at the Merrimack Clothing Company, the whole thing is quickly and satisfactorily solved.

The Merrimack has some of the biggest bargains in boys' suits ever offered in Lowell. The variety is large and the usual full guarantee goes with every purchase. These 1921 suits are the kind that will satisfy not only the parent but the boy himself. You may think this is impossible. We used to, but we know differently now.

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FUNERALS

GERVAIS.—The funeral of Oscar Gervais took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, Israel and Mary Jane (Gilmann) Gervais, 428 Moody street. Services were held in St. Jean Baptiste church and Rev. Aurelien Morell, O.M.I., officiated. Burial was in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

GALLANT.—The funeral of Francis Leonard Gallant took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, Edward and Helen (Sweeney) Gallant, 26 Phoebe avenue. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

FOX.—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth T. Fox took place yesterday from her home, 20 Chambers street, and was largely attended. A funeral mass was celebrated in St. Peter's church by Rev. Francis L. Shea. The Gregorian chant was sung by the choir, the soloists being Miss Mary Ryne, Joseph Egan and James J. Donnelly. Miss Egan sang the requiem. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amedee Archambault & Sons.

DONNELLY.—The funeral of Charles J. Donnelly, son of John J. and Harriet Donnelly, who was drowned in Beaver brook last Tuesday, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 413 Riverside street, Dracut, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. There was a profusion of beautiful floral tributes. At the grave Rev. Francis L. Shea, pastor of St. Michael's church, read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

SZOSTAKOWSKI.—The funeral of Jacob Szostakowski took place yesterday morning from his parents' home, 6 Perry's court. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery, in charge of Undertaker Joseph Urquhart.

SUN BREVITIES

Best printing. Tobin's Associate bldg. Lydon for best catering. Tel. 4934. Fire and liability insurance. Daniel J. O'Brien, Wynona Exchange bldg.

At 10 o'clock this forenoon a telephone alarm was sent in for a chimney fire at 15 Concord street.

If you want to improve your golf game this season, first fix yourself out right, at right prices, at Dickerman & McQuade's.

Richard T. Robinson, exalted ruler of the Lowell lodge of Elks and his suite, installed the officers of the Lawrence lodge last evening at the Lawrence armory. A large delegation from the Lowell lodge attended the ceremony.

A successful lance for the benefit of the High School Bazaar was held yesterday in the high school hall during recess. There was a large attendance and the musical program furnished by the school orchestra was most enjoyable.

The Macclean Girls' club wishes to apologize for not presenting Campbell's orchestra at Dracut Grange, April 6. Owing to a misunderstanding concerning the booking of the orchestra it was necessary to procure the services of another.

The following members of the local fire department will go on their annual two-weeks vacation next Monday: W. F. Christie, M. L. Collins, T. J. Dewire, C. E. Gillis, P. J. Johnson, A. B. McLaughlin, E. Perham, W. F. Riley, C. A. Rock and E. J. Tighe.

An informal entertainment and whist party will be given this evening by the League of Catholic Women at Hazlet hall, Harrington building, Central street. It is stated that an attractive list of prizes have been secured.

A most artistic concert was given last evening at Colonial hall by the W.V.C.A. club, directed by Ernest G. Huff. Others who participated in the program were Miss Marion G. Connors, soprano; Miss Doris White, cello; Miss Kathleen Wright, violin; and Mrs. Bertha Chapman Howe and Miss Mary E. Kelly, accompanists.

FOR PROTECTIVE

TARIFF ON BOOKS

MADRID, April 8.—The publishers of Spain have petitioned the government to introduce a protective tariff on books. They declare enormous numbers of books printed in Spain are being imported from Germany, threatening to destroy the industry in Spain.

MAGNETS RELEASED

PHILADELPHIA, April 8.—Patrick McGinnis, charged with the murder of William J. McGinnis, was released today by a police magistrate. During Mrs. McGinnis's arrest, McGinnis arose and shouted: "I am a free man for American principles." Police officers received him from the harm and locked him up over night.



NEEDED—AN UMBRELLA!

FUNERAL NOTICES

KELLY.—Died in this city, April 7, Miss Esther Gertrude Kelly, aged 22 years. Funeral will take place Saturday morning from the funeral parlors of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay, 635 Carham street, at 9 o'clock. At St. Columba's church at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass will be celebrated. Burial will be private and in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Motor cortege. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers O'Connell & Fay.

THURTELL.—The funeral of Eugene Thurtell will take place tomorrow morning at 8:30 o'clock from his home, 44 Tucker street. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Jean Baptiste church at 9 o'clock. Burial in St. Joseph's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

REFLE.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary E. Refle will take place Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Joseph W. Jordan in Teakbury Centre. Friends invited without further notice. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck.

BURGESS.—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Burgess will take place Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock from her late home, 113 Hale street. Services will be held in St. Peter's church at 2 o'clock. The burial will be in St. Peter's cemetery. A funeral high mass will be celebrated in St. Peter's church at a time to be announced later. The funeral will be in charge of Undertakers Charles H. Molloy's Sons.

KEANE.—Died April 6, Mrs. Mary P. Fleming Keane. Funeral will take place Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock from her late home, 106 Moody st. Solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at 2 o'clock in St. Patrick's church. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements will be in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

PERRY.—Died in France, Nov. 7, 1918. Private Manuel Perry. Funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons. Services will be held at St. Anthony's church at 3:30 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements will be in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

NORTON.—Died April 9, Mrs. Mary A. Norton. Funeral will take place on Monday morning at 9 o'clock from her late home, 765 Moody st. Solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at 10 o'clock in St. Patrick's church. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements will be in charge of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

CLOSTON.—Died in this city, April 8, suddenly, at the Lowell Closton, aged 36 years. Funeral services will be held at the home of her sister, Mrs. John T. Whelan, 131 Methuen street, on Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited. Burial private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

STREET AND SEWER

PETITION HEARINGS

Commissioner Dennis A. Murphy will hold hearings on the following street and sewer petitions at his office in city hall Friday evening, April 15, at 7:30: Imelda R. Smith, et al., that Courtland street be accepted from Woodward avenue to Adams avenue.

Eleanor Desrosiers, et al., that a sewer be laid in Conduit street from Riverside street to Emory avenue.

Correll M. Polton, et al., that Burnaby street be accepted.

Henry A. Drew, that a sewer be laid in a private way off Lawrence street westerly to drain the premises at 1 Mill court.

Maurice G. Maguire, et al., that E street be accepted from Powell to School.

Arthur W. Cabana, that the sewer in Columbia street be extended about 140 feet.

Preston Coal & Coke Co., that Whilden street be accepted.

Mary S. Woodward, et al., that Casco avenue be accepted.

Elisher H. Pearson, that Pentucket avenue be accepted from Andrew street southerly for a distance of 500 feet.

Washington Savings Institution, et al., that Pacific avenue be accepted.

Pierre Bouché, Jr., et al., that a sidewalk of cinders and cobblestones be laid on the westerly side of Flandish street.

Under the plan of Edgar the Peaceful in England in the 15th century, the Sabbath began Saturday afternoon and ended Monday morning.

ASSAULTED AND ROBBED ON NO. COMMON

George Kennedy, locked up by the local police on drunkenness charges, declared that while strolling in the North common district last evening he was attacked by two young men, who beat him up and relieved him of \$50, the products of a winter's toil at the Florida beaches. This he told the authorities, was after 150 had gone for moonshine. As his head and face exhibited such severe cuts and bruises that he was sent for treatment to the Lowell Corporation hospital, the police are inclined to place some credence in his story. However, as he could not describe very thoroughly his assailants, no results of the official investigation have as yet been forthcoming.

GIVE UP IN DISGUST Red Tape Kills Enthusiasm of Playground Teachers

The civil service commission is at it again with Lowell once more playing the role of victim. Last fall the commission notified the local park department that in the future it must appoint no more playground teachers unless their names are taken from the civil service list. In previous years, the instructors were appointed by the park commission without formal examination, their qualifications being determined by the superintendent and members of the commission who are intimately in touch with the local playgrounds.

However, the civil service dictum was promulgated and those who had intentions of being playground teachers next summer were notified that they must take an examination. A large number of Lowell men and women did so at the state house in January and then sat back waiting expectantly to learn the result. A few weeks later each of them received notice to appear a day or so later at the East armory in Boston for a physical examination. This they did, and the time, of course, their own expenses.

According to those who took this examination, it was a very cursory affair. The candidates simply handed in their cards with their names on them and went through a series of motions together. There was no individual examination. But the climax came early this week when the candidates received a notice to appear for a third examination or as the notification card termed it, a "physical re-examination." The necessity of a "re-examination" was not readily apparent to the candidates and many of them became so tired of their continual journeying to Boston that they gave the whole matter up in disgust. A large number of those who aspire for the playground positions in many cases far from Lowell, have been disappointed by the requirements of the civil service commission is obvious and there is every probability that the Lowell park department will have in its hands when it undertakes to open its playgrounds next summer a list of eligible teachers far below the required number.

More Shootings in Ireland

DUBLIN, April 8.—There has been a widespread campaign against "spies and informers" the past few days. Thomas Byrne, a former soldier, was shot dead in the presence of his mother in Drumlish, County Longford. Mrs. McDonagh, wife of the proprietor of a public house, and corporal Edward Weldon were killed in Castlebar, County Roscommon. James Mond, of Knockmurray, and Peter Conroy of Torman, were taken from their houses and shot dead. Bridges have been blown up in various parts of County Cork and all roads leading to Thurles have been entrenched and obstructed. The official weekly summary of attacks against the police and military issued today, indicates that there are no signs of the attacks diminishing, but the casualties suffered by the crown forces during the week decreased to 25 as compared with 46 last week. Seven police barracks were attacked and two policemen murdered, the statement says while 10 civilians were murdered by Sinn Feiners. There were 26 attacks on the mails and 61 arrests for political offenses with 36 convictions. Eighty-one persons were interned, making the total 2327.

Hoover Continues Series of Conferences

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Secretary Hoover continued today the series of conferences with representatives of leading industries looking toward the formation of an advisory council to the Department of Commerce, composed of business men.

Members of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce and later representatives from the American Dyes Institute, met with the secretary.

Hosiery and Underwear at Attractive Prices



WOMEN'S LISLE VESTS, low neck, no sleeve, tailored top, in regular and outsize, 25¢ and 29¢

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WOMEN'S LISLE UNION SUITS, low neck, no sleeves, tailored top, cuff and loose knee, in envelope chemise styles, all sizes 79¢

CHILDREN'S JERSEY DRAWER WAISTS, sizes 2 to 14 years, 25¢

WOMEN'S COTTON HOSE, seamed back, black and cordovan. Special 24¢

WOMEN'S FULL FASHIONED SILK HOSE, \$1.50 to \$3.50

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE, seamed back \$1.00

CHILDREN'S HOSE, black only, 25¢

CHILDREN'S FINE RIB MERCERIZED HOSE, black, cordovan and white 59¢

MEN'S FOUR-IN-HAND TIES, large or small shapes 50¢



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BACON BOWLING LEAGUE BANQUET

Good fellowship was the keynote at the banquet of the Bacon Bowling league, which was held in Page's banquet hall last evening. The occasion being the closing of a most successful bowling season.

L. Edgar Lambert acted as toastmaster and under his direction a most enjoyable program was given. First of all he welcomed the members of the league, complementing them for the success achieved during the season, saying that the activities of the organization during the cold weather resulted in bringing about closer relations between its members, while the amusement provided consisted of a



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clean and healthful sport. In closing, he congratulated the winning teams, and said he hoped the league would not go out of existence, but would enjoy a rest during the warm weather and resume activities next fall.

Others who entertained with interesting remarks were: Hugh Farley, league treasurer, who made a very comprehensive report of the doings of the league; Armand Deneault and Armand Lepine. At the close of the dinner the toastmaster in behalf of the president of the league, Mr. Harry N. Barr, presented handsome gifts to Secretary Deneault and Treasurer Farley as a token of appreciation for services rendered the league during the season.

The bowling prizes, which consisted of cash, were presented as follows: First, Team 1, Capt. Joseph Shea; second, Team 4, Capt. Armand Deneault; third, Team 2, Capt. L. E. Lambert; fourth, Team 3, Capt. Frank Small. After leaving the festive board the members repaired to a local bowling alley, where three strings were rolled as a climax to the affair. Those responsible for the success of the banquet were Harry N. Barr, president; Armand Deneault, secretary; Hugh Farley, treasurer and L. E. Lambert, toastmaster.

APRIL BAD MONTH FOR AUTO ACCIDENTS

April is known as "The killing month," because of the number of its automobile fatalities. This information is contained in an article made public by the National Automobile Federation of "Chautauks." The present "Safety First" campaign, being conducted in this city under the direction of Richmond Welch, chief of police, is therefore launched at an appropriate period for greater dangers lurk in wait for both pedestrians and operators of motor vehicles during this season, than at any other time of the year. The National Automobile Federation issued a statement in which he urged every man, woman and child in Lowell to make a special effort to see the "Careless America" films now showing at local picture houses in connection with the campaign. "These pictures teach a great and vital lesson, and are powerfully educational," declared Chief Welch.

WOMEN'S POLICE SQUAD DISRUPTED

KALAMAZOO, Mich., April 8.—Female jealousy has disrupted the women's squad of the Kalamazoo police department, Chief Taffe declared today in announcing he had requested the resignation of two police women. "Something had to be done," the chief wrote City Manager Harry Freeman. "The women are supposed to work together, irrespective of personalities, but there has been more or less friction for weeks and co-operation has become impossible. Dismissal was the only solution."

ELIOT UNION CHURCH

Former Director of Albany Chamber of Commerce to Address Men's Club of Eliot Union Church
George Dugan of Trenton, N. J., former director of the chamber of commerce of Albany and for several years president of the combined rotary clubs of eastern New York state, now associated with the American City Bureau, will address members of the Men's club of the Eliot Union church next Tuesday evening on the topic, "What Is the Matter?" Mr. Dugan is an exceptionally stimulating speaker and will be remembered by many Lowell men as one of the speakers which the American City Bureau had here in 1920 when the new chamber of commerce was being organized. The members of the Lowell Rotary club have been invited to attend. A buffet luncheon will be served.

FLOUR PRICES DROP

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 8.—Flour prices in Minneapolis have dropped 30 cents a barrel the last week, bringing the price of standard patents at the mills down to \$3.15 to \$3.40 a barrel.

PAGE JOHN CLOSE

The city clerk has received from R. A. Stone of 59 Park street, Providence, R. I., a request for information as to the whereabouts of John Close, who is described as 35 years of age and interested in textiles. He is supposed to have married in this city.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SOCIAL

The social conducted by the Christian Endeavor society of the Westminster Presbyterian church Wednesday night was a big success. Those who took part in the entertainment were Thos. Ross, Mrs. Ethel Beanson, Miss Myrtle Hugg. Refreshments were served.

C. H. HANSON CO., Inc., Rock Street, Auctioneer

Special Auction Sale—Saturday Afternoon

Starting at 1:30, rain or shine, clothing, dry goods and carpenters' tools, all new. Six new soap stone sinks, three set tubs, many tanks and flush bowls, large lot of covers, oak and mahogany.

Truck load of Set Tubs, Water Tanks, Soap Stone Sinks, Flush Bowls will be sold at C. H. Hanson's, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, sharp.

Showers tonight and Saturday; somewhat warmer; fresh east to south winds.

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COURT BATTLE OVER BUILDING

Title to Property of Associate Trust is Subject of Dispute

Equities in Estate Have Many Times Changed Hands

Action by Judge Sought to Put an End to Long Wrangle

An attempt was made in the superior court today to have Judge Franklin T. Hammond straighten out some of the equities of ownership in the Associate building so that the property may be disposed of while real estate prices are high. Judge Hammond, after the papers in the case had been submitted to him, and he had spent some time in considering them, remarked that it was a very complicated matter. J. J. Hogan, counsel for one of the parties to the suit, commented that the case resembled that of Jarndyce vs. Jarndyce, that it had begun 18 months ago and seemed likely to go on forever. Other attorneys complained that no progress was being made with the case, which is now before a master, that they and their clients were wasting a lot of time and getting no results and that the court is being put to heavy expense.

Grows Out of Trust

The case grows out of a trust that was formed by James and Humphrey O'Sullivan, James J. Donovan, James J. Coffey, May 15, 1902, to run for five years and which has not yet been terminated. As a result of the formation of the trust the Associate building was purchased.

The shares in the trust are divided into thirds. The O'Sullivan brothers are the undisputed possessors of three-ninths of the shares. Other shares, it is asserted, have been used as collateral for loans and transferred so many times that it is difficult to determine whom they now actually belong to. James J. Donovan has been eliminated from the trust by death. Before he died he transferred his share in the property to others. John Coffey is also deceased. He died intestate, leaving a widow and children.

In the case before the judge today, but the question was raised whether or not they might not yet have an interest in the trust.

Many Lawyers Take Part

The parties to the suit and the counsel representing them in court today were: James and Humphrey O'Sullivan represented by Albert S. Howard, Lowell Trust company represented by Daniel J. Donahue, Washington Savings Institution represented by J. J. Hogan, and James Coffey, represented by John O'Donoghue.

The City Institution for Savings is also interested in the case but its counsel, James Hill, was not present in court.

One of the principal questions at issue in the case involves a dispute between the Washington Savings Institution and the Lowell Trust company as to the ownership of one-ninth share in the trust. Another disputed question is the amount of the indebtedness of the parties involved to the Lowell Trust company for which shares in the trust are held as collateral.

In opening the discussion of the case Mr. Howard, counsel for the O'Sullivan brothers, said that his clients wanted the title to the building settled so that it could be sold and the proceeds distributed to those to whom they belong.

He asserted that after the trust was created first mortgages were given.

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LOWELL GETS FARE REDUCTION

Street Railway Trustees Refuse Five-Cent Fare for This District

Offer Home Rule Committee 16 Rides for \$1 As Alternative Concession

Beginning May 2, Lowell street car riders will be able to purchase for \$1 a ticket entitling them to 16 rides in the same territory in which the 12-ride ticket is now in effect, reducing the cost per ride from 7-13 cents to 6-12 cents. The present transfer privileges will remain in effect and persons who do not buy tickets will continue to pay a flat 10-cent fare. The zones, transfer territory, etc., will remain as they now are.

This, in brief, sums up the concessions which members of the local home rule committee and Mayor Perry D. Thompson were able to obtain from the public trustees of the Eastern Massachusetts Street Railway company at a conference held late yesterday afternoon at the office of the trustees in Boston.

The mayor and members of the committee went to Boston armed with a request for a five-cent fare in the central zone in Lowell and a seven-cent fare in the outer zone.

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FILES ATTACHMENT IN SUIT FOR LIBEL

An attachment for \$15,000 in behalf of Max L. Katz, has been placed on record in the Middlesex North registry of deeds. Albert S. Howard, counsel for Mr. Palmer, stated today that the attachment was filed in connection with a suit for libel against Mr. Katz, as an agent for the publishers of the Boston American. He said that papers had been sent to Boston for serving in a similar suit for the same amount against the New England Publishing company, which publishes the American.

According to Mr. Howard, an article was printed in an issue of the American last Tuesday under a Manchester, N. H., date line in which it was stated that Mr. Palmer and two other men, one from Boston and the other from New York, had been arrested in New Hampshire on the charge of violating the liquor laws.

Mr. Howard says that Mr. Palmer was in New Hampshire looking over suitable sites for giving airplane exhibitions next summer. He said that Mr. Palmer's car became mired in the mud and that some passing strangers helped him out of his difficulty. Later, when about six miles south of Haverhill, N. H., his car was halted by a deputy sheriff who searched it for liquor and found none. The auto, containing the men who had helped Mr. Palmer extricate his car from the mud, shot ahead of his car. It was later overtaken by the sheriff's car and the two men arrested on the charge of violating the liquor laws, it was stated.

According to Mr. Howard, the only connection of Mr. Palmer with the case was to serve as counsel for the two men who were arrested.

PAPERMAKERS' WAGES

NEW YORK, April 8.—Representatives of American and Canadian newspaper manufacturers today resumed discussion of papermakers' wages with various union heads here.

Employees have asked a wage advance of 15 per cent. The present working agreement expires May 1.

TAKEN TO CAMP DEVENS

Thomas J. Gibbons, 35, of Appleton street, was taken to Camp Devens today by the local police authorities, who state that he has been gazzetted as a deserter from the military service. He was arrested by Lt. Maher and Sergt. Dwyer. When taken into custody he gave his occupation as laborer.

A research worker of Twickenham, England, claims to have achieved the manufacture of synthetic alcohol on a commercial scale at a cost of five cents a pint.

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TURKS RESUME THEIR ADVANCE

Fears Entertained for Safety of Entire Greek Expeditionary Force

Magnitude of Reverse Suffered by Greeks Greater Than First Supposed

PARIS, April 8.—Turkish Nationalists have resumed their advance in the Brusa sector of Asia Minor, according to dispatches received at the French foreign office.

Fears are entertained here for the safety of the entire Greek expeditionary force. The magnitude of the reverse suffered by the Greeks appears to be greater than first supposed, judges here.

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GUN BATTLE IN CHICAGO

Two Policemen Dying, One Dead and Three Others Suffering From Wounds

CHICAGO, April 8.—Policemen John Tracy and Robert Nikisch are dying; Matthew Lalich died early today, and three others are suffering from wounds received in a street fight in the South Chicago steel mill district late last night.

As Tracy and Policeman John M. White, who was wounded in the hand, met a party of three steel workers a quarrel began when the policemen in plain clothes were crowded off the sidewalk. The steel workers opened fire and by the time both sides had emptied their guns, all had been wounded. Captain Joseph Smith of the South Chicago police station said the three steel workers, not familiar with the English language, may have thought the policemen were robbers.

FOR EXHAUSTIVE PROBE OF RAILROAD AFFAIRS

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Chairman Cummins of the Senate Interstate Commerce committee drafted today his resolution for introduction next week, authorizing a general and exhaustive investigation of railroad affairs. It is planned to open the inquiry about April 15 and the senator expects to see President Harding soon regarding the committee program.

One phase of the inquiry will have to do with the best means of bringing about reduction in railroad rates. The resolution also would authorize the committee to inquire into the efficiency or inefficiency of railroad operation since the return of the roads to private ownership. Other subjects of inquiry proposed include a reduction in the volume of freight traffic and operation costs.

Senator Cummins proposes to call railroad managers before the committee in beginning the inquiry for primary discussion of present operating costs. Labor representatives are to be heard later.

S. Davies Warfield, president of the Association of Railway Securities Owners, and Darwin P. Kingsley of the New York Life Insurance Co., conferred today with President Harding. Their conference was said to be in line with the president's policy of seeking advice from every one interested in the transportation problem.

Mr. Warfield has presented views of the securities owners to President Harding several times and also has proposed to Senator Cummins a plan for co-ordination of the railway system as a means of effecting economies in operation.

Tomorrow President Harding will receive L. E. Sheppard, head of the Order of Railway Conductors.

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CAN BUY BOOZE ANY OLD PLACE

Defendant in Non-Support Case Makes Sweeping Statement in Court

Liquor on Sale, He Says, In Erstwhile Saloons, and Fruit Stores

Liquor can be purchased at barrooms and fruit stores throughout this city, according to the testimony of a defendant in the police court this morning. The man, who is the father of six children, was charged by his wife with non-support. He admitted that he has been drinking much of late. "But where did you get it?" demanded Judge Knight. "Oh, there's plenty of it around," confidently replied the defendant, and followed with a sweeping assertion to the effect that a majority of the establishments formerly devoted to the sale of intoxicants in Lowell can still be counted on for booze, and that several fruit stores are in the same category. Judge Knight, summoning Deputy Downey

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MRS. STILLMAN RECEIVES \$62,500

NEW YORK, April 8.—Counsel for Mrs. Anne U. Stillman, who is being sued for divorce by James A. Stillman, announced today they had received a check from the plaintiff's attorneys for \$62,500 covering two months' alimony awarded by the court, counsel fees and expenses.

Mr. Stillman's attorneys said this payment did not mean that the banker had abandoned his intention to appeal from the alimony made by Supreme Court Justice Morschauer April 4.

The banker's lawyers stated that, under the law, they had until May 4 to file an appeal if they desired. The time limit for payment of the award expired today.

LIFE TERM FOR HIGHWAY ROBBERY

TRENTON, N. J., April 8.—The house today passed a bill making life imprisonment the penalty for highway robbery. The measure now goes to the senate.

FOR WAGE REDUCTIONS

HAVERHILL, April 8.—J. R. Winchell & Co., manufacturers of men's shoes, have presented a request for 10 per cent wage reduction to the Unit & Shoe Workers' union. It was announced today. The request has been refused and the matter will go to the state board of arbitration for settlement. The Winchell firm employs 400.

The Japanese bury their dead in a sitting posture

Following a custom centuries old, "This is done to save space. Three can be buried in the space of one American grave.

FAIL TO SHAKE HARRIS' STORY OF MURDER

NEW YORK, April 8.—Impressed by the detailed account of the Joseph Bonnie Elwell murder given at Buffalo yesterday by Roy Harris, former Governor Whitman, who is in charge of the murder investigation, said today he was beginning to take more seriously Harris' alleged confession of complicity in the crime.

Mr. Whitman at first had been skeptical of Harris' story. This skepticism, it was explained, was due to the fact that the authorities already had received seven different confessions, six by letter and one in person.

It was reported today that Mr. Whitman was making an effort to have Harris brought to this city. Harris, arrested on a forgery charge, signed a confession today.

WILL FLUSH OUT OLD DRAIN

Employees of the park department are opening a drain at Shedd park which has been stuffed up for some time and which has kept the baseball field at the park in a more or less unsatisfactory condition. The drain will be flushed out at 6 o'clock next Sunday morning. The early hour had to be selected so that there would be no electric car traffic to interfere with the work.

A Danish scientist is said to have invented a method of measuring the thousand-millionth part of a second.

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With Greatest Industrial Upheaval in History Imminent British Government Masses Forces

STATE RESTS IN MURDER TRIAL

Attorneys for Longe Indicate Accused Man Will Take the Stand

Prosecutor Supplies Questions and Answers From Own Testimony

RUTLAND, Vt., April 8.—The government today rested its case in the trial of Peter W. Longe for the murder of Owen Hayes at Fairhaven, last October, after Attorney General Archibald, the prosecutor, had presented the unusual spectacle of supplying questions and answers from his own testimony from the witness stand. He was relating interviews with Longe at which the defendant is alleged to have made several confessions. The attorney general said that Longe, during an interview with him at a Fairhaven hotel with no witnesses present, threw his arms around the prosecutor's neck and said: "Mr. Archibald, I killed that man and I want you to help me."

Constable John Burns of Fairhaven, who arrested Longe after his daughter Madeline had told the authorities her father was concerned in the killing of Hayes, testified that Longe said to him: "Madeline has gone back on me, and told the story."

Defense attorneys today indicated that Longe would take the stand in his own behalf.

TRAGIC CONDITIONS IN NORTH CHINA

NEW YORK, April 8.—Tragic conditions in North China were described in a cable message from Charles R. Crane, United States minister to China, to Thomas W. Lamont, chairman of the American committee for China famine fund, made public today.

The cablegram, transmitted to Mr. Lamont through the state department at Washington, points out that the most critical period in the six weeks after May 1 and preceding the early harvest.

The message follows: "International and other funds practically exhausted by grain purchased for consumption before May 1. Most critical period subsequent six weeks preceding harvest in June in districts not relieved by famine funds. Leaves, greens and bark nearly exhausted; danger that in such districts people will devour growing grain unless helped."

"All relief grain given free. Practically all relief workers voluntary without pay. To illustrate efforts of those not helped to save themselves, houses unroofed and timbers sold; farm implements, household utensils, even clothing sold to buy food; farm animals sold or eaten."

"Funds hitherto contributed have saved millions of lives to date. Further large contributions from America necessary to carry these people another six weeks to harvest and expand relief."



REFUSES TO "SPONGE"

"Better to join the chorus, than to sponge on friends." So saying, another London society leader—the Hon. Sylvia Gough—has turned to the stage. She is appearing as a chorus girl in "The Right Girl" at Times Square Theatre, New York. The family fortune was wiped out by the war. She is an internationally known beauty. A portrait of her by Augustus Johns is on exhibition in the Metropolitan Art Gallery, New York.

Big Increase In German Exports

COPENHAGEN, April 8.—There has been an extraordinary increase in the exports of German industrial plants in consequence of the establishment along the Rhine of the new tariff zone by the entente.

Self-Service Grocery Store

Fancy Sliced Pineapple No. 2½ can	29c
Fancy Yellow, Cling Peaches, No. 2½ can	20c
Greenfield Creamery Butter (1 lb. carton)	44c
Meadow Brook Butter Print	58c
Supreme Fancy Selected Carton Eggs	34c
Milco Nut Oleo	26c
Mayfield Nut Oleo	27c
Sunkist Seeded Raisins (15 oz.)	27c
Fresh Dromedary Dates	20c
Baker's Cocoa (½ lb. can)	22c
Minute Tapioca	12c
Tomatoes, No. 3 can	10c
Blue Karo	11c
Snider's Ketchup	26c
Blue Label Ketchup	26c
Jello (assorted)	10c
Hops (1 lb. pkg.)	43c
Excelity Malt and Hops	\$1.10
Kellogg's Corn Flakes, pkg.	10c
Grape Nuts	15c
Pink Salmon	12c
Snider's Tomato Soup (large)	10c
Libby's Sliced Pineapple, No. 2½ can	38c
Chase & Sanborn Coffee	39c
Gold Medal Flour (24½ lbs.)	\$1.35
Quaker Oats (large)	25c
Friend's Beans	23c
Campebell's Beans	10c
Bee Soap	7c
Welcome Soap	7c
Rinso	6½c
Fancy Maine Style Corn	12c
Mueller's Macaroni, pkg.	11c
Mazola Oil (qts.)	55c
Cream Corn Starch, pkg.	11c
Howard's Salad Dressing, bottle	30c
Horlick's Malted Milk (large)	72c
Special Table Talk Ketchup	9c

PRESCOTT STREET

Chalifoux's
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The Store of Absolute Satisfaction

CROCKER LIVED ON MILK AND GRUEL FOUR YEARS

Now Able to Eat Anything
He Wants, New Bedford
Man Declares His Recovery Is Due Entirely to
Tanlac

"When a man has stomach trouble so bad that for four years he has to live on milk and gruel and then finds a medicine that gets him to where in a little while he can eat pork sausage, corned beef and cabbage, or just anything else he wants, I think it's time for him to talk for the benefit of others. Well, that's just what Tanlac has done for me, and I've gained 11 pounds in weight, besides."

The above statement was made recently by Adelbert Crocker, well known employee of the H. C. Reynolds Plumbing Co., residing at 40 Russell st., New Bedford, Mass.

"For 10 years," said Mr. Crocker, "I suffered from indigestion and didn't dare eat anything except the lightest of foods. Even milk caused me such cramping pains I just doubled up like a jackknife, and my appetite was so poor I never relished what little I did eat. I managed to drag myself to work each day, but I really felt bad enough to be in bed. My sleep was so broken I got up mornings feeling completely worn out, and I lost so much weight and got in such an awful fix I never expected to enjoy a well day again."

"Well, it certainly was a lucky day for me when I started taking Tanlac, for now I'm feeling just like a 18-year-old. My appetite is better now than ever before, and my wife jokingly says she can hardly cook enough to satisfy me. I sleep like a log every night, and got up mornings feeling refreshed and full of strength and energy. I must say Tanlac is certainly the greatest medicine in the world."

Tanlac is sold in Lowell by a special Tanlac representative at Green's drug store, by the Wright Drug Co., Billerica, Mass.; Snow's Pharmacy, Concord, Mass., and first class druggists in every town.—Adv.

U. S. FLAG HAULED DOWN

Irish Girls Who Raised
Stars and Stripes Persecuted and Jailed by Troops

ATHLONE, Ireland, April 8. (By the Associated Press.)—Two sisters, Misses Una and Lena Sharkey of Strokestown, County Roscommon, are prisoners in the military barracks here after a series of alleged persecutions by the crown forces which have made their case one of the most celebrated in western Ireland.

An interesting feature of the case was the determination of the two young women, both of whom have visited the United States, to keep the American flag flying over their shop, "The American Novelty Stores," at Strokestown.

The White Cross association's report of the affair says the girls repeatedly raised the flag but each time it was hauled down and seized. "Finally the flagpole was removed and a threat made, with a revolver at the girls' heads, that if the flag was again shown the house would be burned."

The young women's troubles began, it is said, when a retired police official turned their shop into an ammunition factory because they had a knitting machine in their store. The sisters encouraged him in that belief. When the joke on him became public the aged police official became the town butt. This made him so angry, the White Cross report states, that, with the aid of a fellow constable acting as a magistrate, he had the sisters arrested and

they were detained in a prison cell for two months.

After being released, the report says, "they were commanded to close their stores, which they refused to do, and again they were arrested, and kept in prison for several months." On being freed they tried to reopen their shop with the result, the report asserts, that their entire stock, valued at more than \$15,000, was seized and carried to the military camp.

Six months later, the report continues, "the military took back a dilapidated remnant of the goods looted, and against the protests of the Misses Sharkey dumped them into their store." This was sold at auction, realizing about \$200. "With that amount and a contribution made by sympathizers throughout the country, the sisters again engaged in business."

"The girls," the report says, "were now persecuted by Black and Tans, who robbed the counter tills and removed whatever of value that struck their capricious fancy." Because of alleged threats of night attacks, the girls slept at the house of their brother, a merchant. Persecution, it is charged, was then switched to the brother, whose "safe was rifled by crown forces and his premises looted." Finally he and his sisters were arrested. He is now confined in the Strokestown military camp. The total losses of the sisters is estimated at \$25,000.

AMUSEMENT NOTES

By Theatres' Own Press Agents.

D. F. KEITH'S THEATRE
Good vaudeville isn't the easiest thing in the world to get, because all acts can't be plucked from trees. They just happen occasionally. This week at the D. F. Keith theatre three head-line attractions have happened, and they are all on the very same bill. Chic Sale, a metropolitan headliner, is one of the best. No act that New York gets has any bigger drawing power than the one offered by Sale. Then

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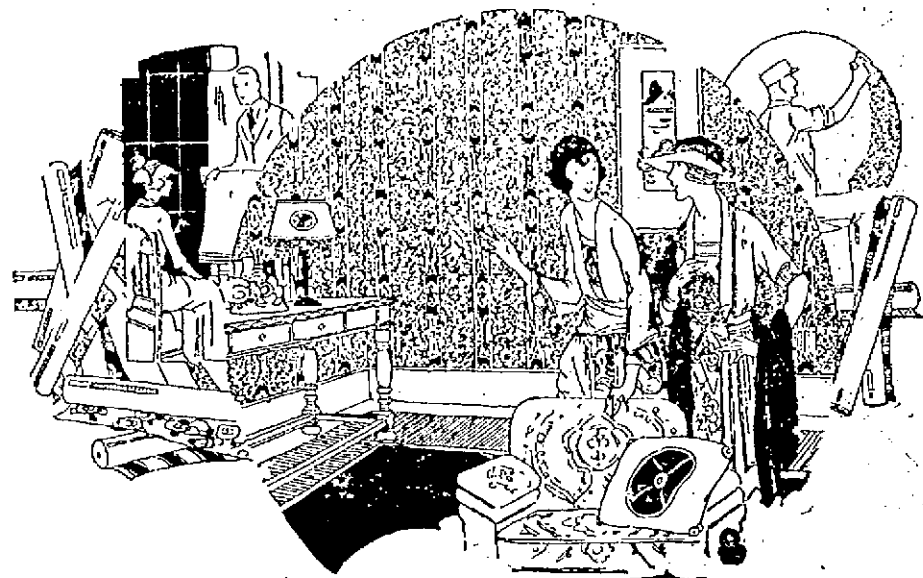
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WALL PAPER SECTION

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Now is the time to brighten up your home walls. Make them smile with NEW WALL PAPER. No other one thing you can buy for the same amount of money will beautify your home as much. We carry the largest stock and offer a bigger variety in each grade than any other store in Lowell.



Five hundred patterns are displayed on mounted wings, showing how each pattern would look on your own walls. And each pattern is the best of its kind, for it was carefully selected from the entire offerings of the ten biggest and best mills in America.

OUR PRICES ARE THE LOWEST CONSISTENT WITH RELIABILITY

We are the only store in Lowell buying from those mills which are recognized by the trade as the best buying at A No. 1 JOBBERS' PRICES. We pass on to you a saving of 30% to 40%. An example of the saving we pass on to our customers may be seen in some of our Imported Tapestry Papers. Others would sell these papers for \$1.25 to \$1.50 roll could they buy them. We are selling many rolls of these papers every day at 69c roll.

REGARDING HANGING

We haven't any paper hangers in our employ, but if you buy paper of us we will gladly recommend several, give you their names and addresses and assist you to get in touch with a good workman.

performances. Better get your tickets at once.
Next week's presentation will be "Don Boucard," Irish masterpiece, "Arra Na Pogue." It will be directed by Jack Bennett, which fact assures the patrons of a finished performance.

SAYS GOOD NAME IS EVERYTHING

DETROIT, April 8.—"Once a thief, always a thief" is the blackest lie ever batched."

So says Sophia Lyons, 30 years an international crook, 40 years more a successful business woman.

"Good name is the thing to be guarded. Once lost, its loss is banished beyond the pale—shut off from the condition in which lies the only desideratum—contentment."

Sophia Lyons' environment led her into the world of crookdom.

"Before I was six my stepmother used to throw me down the stairs if I came home with less than three pocketbooks a day," she says, "in that hard school I learned every trick of the 'dip' trade before I was 10, although I couldn't recite the alphabet until I was 25."

Late in her 20's, following her determination to seek "big game" she travelled through Europe, acquiring the learning that enabled her later to move in the hazy edge of the "best circles" of America and Europe.

Armed with this "culture" she preyed upon society to her heart's content.

But Sophia Lyons didn't escape the law. Arrested 100 times in the 30 years of her criminal life she has been in 60 jails.

"Goes Straight!"

Forty years ago, after her release from the house of correction here, she determined to "go straight."

"The first employer to whom I applied had me thrown out badly," she says. "Finally after a long search I found a \$10-a-week job in a real estate office. When I left the office a few years later I was making \$300 a week."

Since that time independent real estate dealings have netted her almost \$1,000,000. With it the 35-year-old woman has established homes for wayward girls in many parts of the country and carried on prison reform work in a large degree, at her own expense.

One of her total income each year she sets aside \$1,000 for her own expenses and devotes the remainder to charity.

GREAT FOR ECZEMA AND OLD SORES

I Guarantee My Ointment, Says Peterson—Every Box of It

"If you are responsible for the health of your family," says Peterson, of Buffalo, "I want you to get a large 25-cent box of Peterson's Ointment today."

"Remember, I stand back of every box. Every druggist guarantees to refund the purchase price if Peterson's Ointment doesn't do all I claim."

"I guarantee it for eczema, old sores, running sores, salt rheum, ulcers, sore nipples, broken breasts, itching skin, skin diseases, blind, bleeding and itching piles as well as for chafing, burns, scalds, cuts, bruises and sunburn."

"I had 30 running sores on my leg for 11 years, was in three different hospitals. Amputation was advised. Skin grafting was tried. I was cured by using Peterson's Ointment."—Mrs. F. E. Root, 257 Michigan st., Buffalo, N. Y. Mail orders filled by Peterson Ointment Co., Inc., Buffalo, N. Y.—Adv.

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Men's Furnishing Section

Street Floor, Just Inside Main Entrance

Look over our complete stock of Men's Hosiery in cotton, lisle and silk at popular prices.

MEN'S "TRYME" SOX are superior to other hosiery of the same weight, superior in heels and toes, durability never before obtained, comfort velvety with no seams to hurt the feet, colors are black, navy, grey and cordovan. **25¢ Pair**



MEN'S "PHOENIX" SILK SOX

Seamless, double soles and heels, black and colors, pair **80c**

MEN'S "SERVICE" SOX,

made of fine combed yarn, double soles and heels. Colors are black, grey, cordovan and navy, 35¢, 3 Pairs **\$1.00**

MEN'S "TRIPLETOE" MERCERIZED LISLE HOSE, made with double soles and high spliced heels. Colors are black, navy, grey, cordovan, Russian calf and white, 50¢ Pair

MEN'S SILK PLAITED SOX, full fashioned, double soles and high spliced heels, in black, two-toned colors, **\$1 Pair**

MEN'S SILK SOX with lisle soles, full fashioned, double soles and high spliced heels, black only, **\$1.50 Pair**

MEN'S BLACK SILK SOX, white embroidered clocks, full fashioned, double sole, high spliced heels, **\$2.00 Pair**

MERRIMACK SQUARE THEATRE
Presenting in novel form problems that are understood by every man and woman. "What's Worth While?" a Lois Weber production, is scoring a great success. The feature of the current program at the Merrimack Square theatre. All those who saw "To Please One Woman" will find this new photoplay equally delightful. The picture has been admirably produced and the story, that of the love of an aristocratic young woman for a primitive man, offers numerous opportunities for effective character work.

Claire Windsor is in the leading role. "Beau Reveil," a Thomas H. Ince production of more than average merit, is the other big feature. Scenes taken at the funeral of Cardinal Gibbons, a comedy and the International News round out the bill.

THE STRAND
There will be a morning matinee at the Strand for the young folks of the city and surroundings, and the special program for that occasion will be the big picture production, "The Last of the Mohicans." The price of admission for the children will be 11 cents, tax paid. The usual weekend program showing William Faversham in "The Sin That Was His," and "The Last of the Mohicans," and among the pictures to be shown will be one of Charlie Chaplin's biggest film successes. Don't miss seeing it and laugh yourself tired.

RIALTO THEATRE
Little Wesley Barry is once more drawing the same big houses to the Rialto theatre as he did in the recent release of "Dinky" which was shown in that theatre some weeks ago. The picture is booked for the remainder of the week and should draw very heavily for that time. Accompanying the feature bill is a strong drama, "Unseen Forces," a comedy, "Nobody's Wife," an episode of "Fighting Fate" and the Fox news.

Saturday morning there will be a special performance, opening at 10 o'clock for the youngsters and grown-ups. Admission to everybody will be 11 cents.

OPERA HOUSE
Dramatic endeavor of the highest order, and characterization seldom equalled on the local stage, is being thoroughly enjoyed by the patrons of the Opera House this week. "Madame X," Alexandre Bisson's great French drama of mother love, is being presented with remarkable finish and satisfaction by the Lowell Players. Large crowds have attended all performances up to date and capacity audiences are assured for the remaining

FRECKLE-FACE

Sun and Wind Bring Out Unly Spots, How to Remove Easily

Here's a chance, Miss Freckle-face, to try a remedy for freckles, the guarantee of a reliable concern that it will not cost you a penny unless it removes the freckles; while if it does give you a clear complexion the expense is trifling.

Simply get an ounce of Othine—double strength—from any druggist and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of the homely freckles and get a beautiful complexion. Rarely is more than one ounce needed for the worst case.

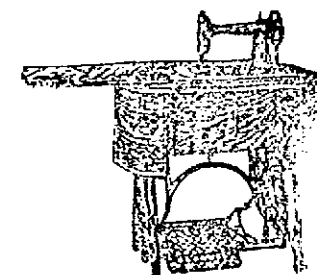
Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength Othine as this strength is sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.—Adv.

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TAKE
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This beautiful round end model Standard Rotary "Sit Straight!"—

SEWING MACHINE

A little down and a little a week. Factory expert in attendance today and tomorrow.

Indians on Mohawk Reservation Defy Canada to Oust Them From Tract



Chief Joseph Henry, of the Cayuga tribe, who at 100 is the oldest Indian in the Canadian Mohawk reservation. At the right an Indian boy with his home-made bow and arrow, and below, the type of house in the Mohawk Indian reservation.

BRANTFORD, Ont., April 8.—The 5600 Indians on the Brant tract are "sitting tight," waiting for the Canadian government to act. The Canadian government declares the Indians must accept citizenship and pledge allegiance to King George, or move from the reservation. They have refused to do this and have applied to the United States to take them back. Forefathers of these Indians of the Six Nations were paid by Joseph Brant to fight against the United States in the war of 1812. In return a 36,000-acre tract was given them here. Dr. E. A. Bates of Syracuse, an adopted chief of the Six Nations, has been commissioned to ask President Harding to allow the Canadian Indians to return to the United States. But there is no room in New York reservations for the Canadian tribe. These Indians were fierce foes of the United States. Canada obligated itself to them. There is little hope for the Indians being given a home in the United States. The tribesmen are defiant, but not belligerent. "We're going to stay here," they say. "We'll not accept Canadian citizenship. We'll not move when we're ordered. They'll have to oust us from our homes by force. If we have to accept citizenship in any country and begin life anew, it will be in the United States."

St. Louis Pays Tribute to War Dead

ST. LOUIS, April 8.—St. Louis today mourned the deaths of 500 of its sons who were killed in the world war. Flags were at half staff. The bodies of six soldiers, which were returned from France, lay in state in the rotunda of the city hall, and will be buried with military honors tomorrow.

Princess Anastasia Coming to U. S.

ATHENS, April 8.—(By the Associated Press)—Princess Anastasia, who is convalescing from her recent illness, may go to America soon and will take a special steamer to New York, if it can be obtained. Her recovery is being retarded by attacks of nausea.

Ten Good Specials From the Street Floor

For Friday and Saturday

SMALLWARES

- Set of four Corset Garters, regular price 49c. Special, 25c
- One-fourth and three-eighth inch Elastic, regular price 8c yd. Special, 5c Yd.
- Dress Shields, regular price 15c pair. Special, 12c Pr.
- Military Braid, regular price 10c to 59c yd. Special, 5c to 49c
- Sanitary Napkins, 6 in box, regular price 29c box. Special, 25c

NECKWEAR

- Women's Ruffled Vests, regular price \$1.25 and \$1.50. Special, \$1.00
- Women's Embroidered Corner Handkerchiefs, in colors and white; regular price 25c and 35c. Special, 12½c

TOILET GOODS

- Mavis Talcum Powder. Special, 18c
- Houbigan's Violet Perfume, \$5.00 value. Special, \$3.50
- Ivory Hair Brushes, \$4.50 value. Special, \$2.73

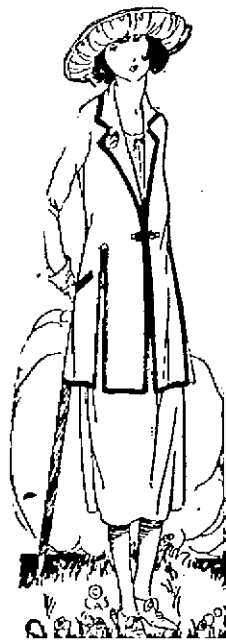


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Strictly hand tailored in every detail. Straight line, semi-fitted Suits, with slightly flaring sides and narrow belts. The coats are lined with heavy-peau de cygne silk. The straight line skirts are graceful and slightly wider at the hem. A very distinctive showing of individual models. Specially priced at

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Stunning Taffeta

Dresses

For Women and Misses

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In navy, brown and black, dozens of smart styles in the lot. Fashioned in a very good quality of taffeta, all sizes to 44. These attractive dresses are a special value for Friday and Saturday only.

Second Floor



Girls' Sport Coats

Sizes 6 to 14 Years

\$10.00, \$12.50, \$15.00

A new lot just shipped from a New York manufacturer. Plenty of sizes and colors, tan, russet, navy, pekin and copen are the leaders. Some styles have narrow leather belts and others have narrow belts of self material.

Second Floor



An Amazing

Hosiery Sale

You will agree it is amazing after you see the remarkable reductions. Stockings here for women and children.

- Women's Fibre Silk Boot Hose 17¢ Pair
These were 40c pair; have double soles, and are irregulars.
- Women's ¾ Length Fibre Silk Hose 30¢ Pair
Made with double soles; regular price 60c.
- Women's Fibre Silk Hose 35¢ Pair
Have seamed back and double soles, irregulars; regular price 75c.
- Women's Cotton Hose 25¢ Pair
Black and brown; regular price 35c.
- Children's Cotton Hose 17¢ Pair
Made of combed yarn, in black only; regular price 35c pair.
- Children's Heavy Cotton Hose 25¢ Pair
Black, with double toe and heel; regular price 50c pair.

Street Floor

TODAY AND TOMORROW
26-Piece Set of

Rogers Silverware

\$4.98

Regular Price \$8.50

6 knives, 6 forks, 6 tea spoons, 6 table spoons, 1 sugar shell, 1 butter knife.

Street Floor



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FOR SPRING

The Trimmed Hats you want at prices you want to pay. The most charming and most desirable styles of the season. All of them priced far below what you would expect to pay for hats of much higher quality. Special values at

\$5.98—\$7.50

Untrimmed Hats—Hundreds of shapes and styles that are sure to please the fashionable woman. All one requires is a little touch of trimming to complete them, \$1.98 to \$4.98

Smart Banded Hats—Tailored with straight, roll and mushroom brims, all colors, some two-tone. \$2.98 to \$8.98

Children's Hats—Large and small rolling brims, \$1.49 and \$7.50
Palmer St. Store



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These Coat Sweaters are the newest wrinkle in sport wear. Worn mostly in gay colors, though we have the darker shades also. In navy, black, buff, tomato, rust, henna and jade.

NEW JERSEY TIE-
BACK SWEATERS

\$2.98

Another new idea for sport wear. In navy, black, gray, brown and buff.

Second Floor



FRIDAY AND SATURDAY

Sport Coats

For Women and Misses

Just Received and Specially Priced at

\$15.00

Of fine worsted jersey, in navy, black and brown. These are regular coat models and not the sweater coat. Worn with a plaid skirt they complete a very serviceable sport suit. Other models in good polo cloth in tan and a few darker shades. This assortment is a special value.

Second Floor



Spring Waists and Overblouses

AT ATTRACTIVE PRICES

- New French Voile Waists, with real filet lace trimmed frilled fronts and turn-back cuffs. Several other styles at this price..... \$2.98
- Van Dyke Frilled Voile Waists \$2.98
- New Pongee Waists, several styles at..... \$2.98
- Creme de Chine Waists, in all the new shades..... \$5.00
- Mignonette Overblouses, in suit shades..... \$7.50
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- Georgette Overblouses, beautifully lace trimmed..... \$7.50 and \$10.00

Second Floor

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Friday and Saturday Specials



Baby Louis heel—
Grey Suede—Black and
Brown Kid—B to D
widths.



Two Straps—Cuban
heel—Black and Brown
Kid—also Black-Brown
Suede—C and D widths.

Here They Are

All the Newest Novel-
ties in Women's

Pumps and Oxfords

All the NEW shades
of Leather—also Suede
in Black, Brown and
Grey—Goodyear welts.

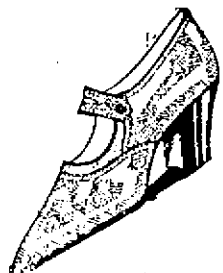
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Per Pair

FOR TODAY AND
SATURDAY ONLY

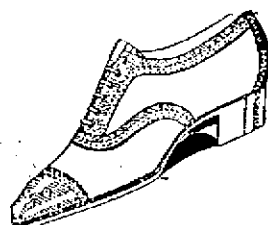
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See Them in Window



One Strap—Cuban
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Suede and Kid Leather.



Ball Strap Oxfords—
Brown, Mahogany—
Goodyear welt.

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Lowell

RECOMMENDATIONS FOR CARE OF VETERANS

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Seven specific recommendations, chief among them the creation of the veterans service administration to take entire charge of government relief work among former soldiers and to be headed by a director general, responsible directly to the president, were contained in the report submitted yesterday to President Harding by his special commission investigating the care of veterans.

Charles G. Dawes, of Chicago, chairman of the commission, told the president as he handed him the report that he believed the recommendations were sound and that they would prove a satisfactory solution of the troubles existing in the present administration of soldier relief work. Early action by President Harding on the report is expected.

Recommendation number one provided for the new agency and gives it jurisdiction over the bureau of war risk insurance, the rehabilitation division of the federal board for vocational education and such part of the public health service as may be necessary to care properly for disabled veterans. It also asks that a director general assume charge of the new agency with full authority to obtain necessary facilities when those already available prove inadequate.

This provision would permit the lease or purchase of hospital buildings wherever the demand exceeded the supply.

Card is suggested in the framing of the new legislation creating the administration in order to avoid present inconsistencies of law affecting the three existing bureaus. Particular request is made that no statutory limitations be placed on the director general as to the number and salaries of his employees.

Number three says that pending the enactment of new laws Secretary Mellon of the treasury shall issue orders to the heads of the public health and war risk bureaus, authorizing the latter bureau to take charge of the public health and war risk bureaus, authorizing the latter bureau to take charge of the public health activities and personnel engaged in providing medical care for the veterans. The effect would be to consolidate these bureaus under one head by executive order without waiting for congress to act or risk delay from that cause.

The next recommendation provides for an immediate extension and utilization of all government hospital facilities together with such mobilization of civilian medical services as may prove practical.

An immediate and continuous hospital building program is asked in the fifth recommendation, which suggests that Secretary Mellon's committee recently appointed to report on sites for new hospitals be directed to report concerning the type and locations of the required buildings. It adds that appropriations shall be made available by the congress which convenes next Monday.

The sixth calls for exertion of humanizing influences to impress the sick and wounded with the fact that the nation is entirely concerned in their welfare and rehabilitation.

The last asks immediate use of the \$15,000,000 appropriated by the last congress for new hospitals.

Fail to Shake Story

Continued

statement that he and William Duncan, a friend, were hired with promise of \$5000 each to kill the turfman. He claimed that a woman known to him as "Mrs. Fairchild" employed them.

Detention of a New York woman, whose photograph was identified tentatively by Harris as that of "Mrs. Fairchild" was suggested to Mr. Whitman by the district attorney at Buffalo, but Mr. Whitman decided to wait for further developments before taking action.

May Be Taken to New York

BUFFALO, N. Y., April 8.—Whether Roy Harris will be taken to New

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SUNKIST
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30c Doz.

LIVE LOBSTERS
31c Lb.

FRESH PORK BUTTS
20c Lb.

Veal, Legs.....20c

SQUIRE'S SMALL LOINS OF
Pork.....25c lb.

SHOULDERS—
(Smk'd., sugar cured) 18c

SALT PORK—
(Extra heavy), lb. 17c

POTATOES—
(Green Mts.), peck 25c

LAMB FORES—Lb. 10c

VEAL FORES—Lb. 10c

GOOD LEAN CORN.
BEEF, lb. 10c

PIGS' FEET—Lb. 10c

STRAWBERRIES—
(Fresh packed) can 25c

PEACHES—Large can... 25c

PRUNES—
(Fresh packed) lb. 10c

GOLD MEDAL
FLOUR

\$5.90 ½ Bbl.

SUGAR CORN
10c Can

STRINGLESS
GREEN BEANS
2 Cans 25c

TOMATOES
(Large Can)
12½c

NEW PACKED
PEACHES
25c Lb.

HORSE RADISH
18c Bot.

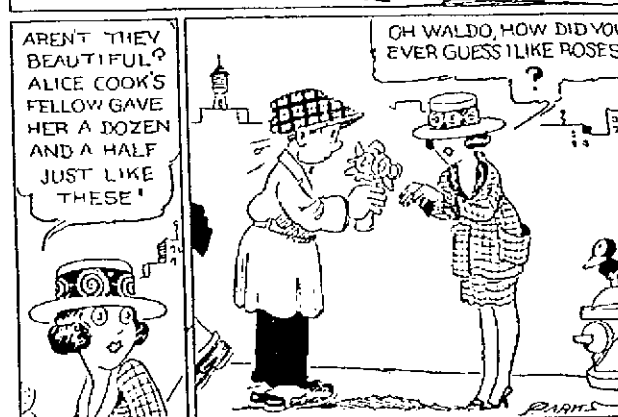
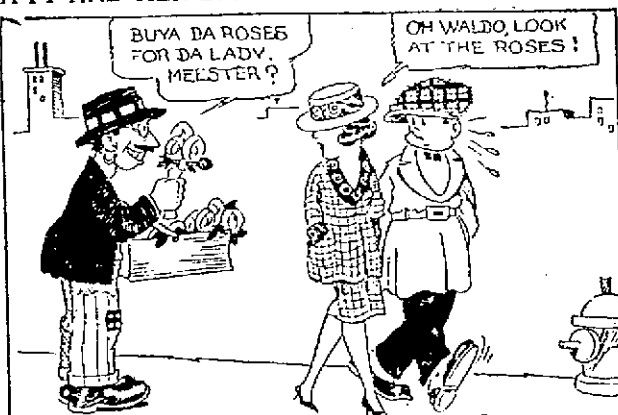
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TODAY and SATURDAY

LAMB
Forequarters, lb. 12½c
Lean Loins, lb. 22c
Legs and Loins, lb. 27c
Short Legs, lb. 33c

NATIVE VEAL
Forequarters, lb. 7c
Loins, lb. 20c
Short Legs, lb. 22c

NATIVE PORK
Lean Fresh Shoulders,
lb. 18c
Lean Fresh Pork Butts,
lb. 25c
Lean Fresh Pork Roasts,
lb. 27c

CHOICE STEER BEEF
Pot Roast, no bone, lb. 15c
Chuck Rib Roast, lb. 16c
First Rib Roast, lb. 23c
First Rib, no bone, lb. 30c
Sirloin Roast, no bone, 39c

MILK FED POULTRY
Fowl, 4 lb. average... 45c
Chicken, 5 lb. average, 53c
Cut-up Fowl, lb. 43c

FRESH FISH
Fresh Salmon, lb. 38c
Fresh Halibut, lb. 38c
Fresh Boiled Lobsters, 38c

LOWELL MAN DROVE AUTO THROUGH FIRE AND SMOKE TO SAVE IT FROM LOSS



Mr. Alfred O. Fischer of 39 Westford St., Lowell, Tells Story of How He Lost His Health and How the Tonic CINOT Restored It

The wonderful results from CINOT are beginning to be told in Lowell and vicinity. There has been many remedies put before the public and there will probably be many more but CINOT stands alone, the remedy made from herbs and free from alcohol. Mr. Fischer says:

"I left my home town in 1915 to take a position in Tulsa, Okla., in the oil region where I was employed as chauffeur. A fire broke out one night and to save an expensive locomobile I drove it out of the garage through the fire and smoke and received a severe nervous shock and from that time my troubles began."

"My stomach would absolutely refuse to digest my food and I would fill up with gas and get black spots before my eyes and felt nervous and restless and needed a tonic to build me up as my work driving the public from Lowell to Lawrence in an auto is of a tiring nature. It was necessary that I get something to help me."

"The long and short of it was that I got a bottle of CINOT and I never saw anything like it. It immediately relieved the stomach trouble and built an appetite and I feel like a different person."

CINOT IS BEING DEMONSTRATED IN LOWELL BY AN EXPERT AT DOWNS' DRUG STORE, and is for sale by all druggists everywhere.—Adv.

Refuse to Accept Cut In Wages

CHICAGO, April 8.—Members of the Electrical Workers union have joined the carpenters in refusing to agree to a wage reduction from \$1.25 an hour to \$1. Last night 3200 of them voted unanimously to reject the reduction proposed by the Building Employers' association. The majority of the electrical workers argued that increased rents had offset the decreases of other factors in the cost of living.

Mexican Railroads Congested

MEXICO CITY, April 8.—Congestion of Mexican railroads has reached a critical stage, and commercial and industrial interests have appealed to the government to take extraordinary steps to relieve the situation. At Vera Cruz, Tampico, Puerto Mexico and in cities along the United States frontier, thousands of tons of merchandise have been lying for months. President Obregon declares that imports have increased 200 per cent in the last three months and that additional railroad rolling stock has not been acquired to a proportionate degree.

Huge Prune Shipment to Germany

SALEM, Ore., April 8.—A prune shipment, believed to be the biggest fruit shipment ever sent from the northwest, will leave Portland this month for Germany, according to announcement here today. It comprises 1,450,000 pounds of Italian prunes grown in Oregon and Washington.



"Bayer" on Genuine Aspirin—say "Bayer"

Warning: "Bayer" on package or on tablets you are not getting genuine Aspirin prescribed by physicians for twenty-one years and proved safe by millions. Take Aspirin only as told in the Bayer package for Colds, Headache, Neuralgia, Rheumatism, Earache, Toothache, Lumbago, and for Pain. All druggists sell Bayer Tablets of Aspirin in handy tin boxes of 12, and in bottles of 24 and 100. Aspirin is the trade mark of Bayer Manufacture of Monoaceticacidester of Salicylicacid.—Adv.

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A BLUE SERGE SPECIAL

750 yards of a medium weight, all wool, guaranteed fast color, dark blue, fine weave blue serge go on sale today. This serge is made by the American Woolen Co. and is the quality of serge that has been selling around \$50.00 for a suit only a few short months back.

TAILORED TO YOUR
MEASURE, DOUBLE SER-
VICE 2 PANT SUITS...

\$ **35.00**

A \$50.00 Proposition to Order

Other patterns from \$20.00 up in greys, browns, olives, herringbone weaves, blacks and blues. You'll find the goods you are looking for here, and remember there is no extra charge for style, weight or service, and the extra pants are a part of the Mitchell suit on this special.

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NO TRACE OF BANDITS

Yeggs Handcuffed Mail Truck Drivers and Took Registered Mail

CINCINNATI, April 8.—Postoffice inspectors and police early today had failed to find trace of three bandits who last night held up a mail truck here and robbed it of three pouches of registered mail. Boarding the truck as it was leaving the Baltimore & Ohio railroad station at Bay Miller street, the holdup men forced Joseph Arbin, the driver, and Walter D. Hubler, railway mail clerk, to drive to a secluded alley, where the two were handcuffed to the steering wheel of their machine. Going to the rear of the truck the bandits, using a duplicate key, unlocked the truck door and carefully picked over 60 sacks of mail to select those containing registered matter. Seeing these, the thieves leaped from the truck with a warning to the handcuffed men not to make an outcry under penalty of being shot, and

jumping into a waiting automobile, escaped. An estimate of the amount of loot was unobtainable.

INDICTED AS RUNNING ALLEGED DIVORCE MILL

WHITE PLAINS, N. Y., April 8.—Four indictments were returned yesterday against Herbert F. Miller, who conducted a law office in Manhattan, and who is charged with forging the names of several supreme court justices to more than two score fake divorce decrees for clients in Kings, Westchester and New York counties. The indictments involve an aggregate maximum sentence of 40 years in state prison.

The justices, as well as several of the victims of the alleged forgeries were witnesses at yesterday's grand jury hearing, but the whereabouts of the lawyer are unknown.

Supreme Court Justice Tompkins was said to have recognized forgeries of his name on at least six papers inspected at the hearing. Other officials whose names are alleged to have been forged include Justices Young and McHugh and James E. Wilkinson, former law partner of Miller, as a notary public.

Wilkinson's present partner, Nathan B. Chadsey, was the first to begin an investigation that led to exposure of the case. Chadsey, it was said, became suspicious when Miller's clients came into Wilkinson's office asking why they had not received their final decree.

Dist. Atty. Davis said Miller produced correspondence who were merely hired for the occasion. His confidential clerk Jack Bannon, was said to have been used for that purpose in many cases, while Bannon supposed himself a process server.

THE WORLD WAR

Head of Industrial Chemistry at Harvard Says Germany Came Near Winning Big Struggle

Germany nearly won the world war, said Dr. Grennell Jones, head of the industrial chemistry department at Harvard, in a lecture delivered last evening at the Lowell Textile school. The effectiveness of her submarine warfare, he declared, kept up shipments of raw chemicals, and almost spelled defeat for the allied cause. The speaker told his hearers that when hostilities were going on the United States was absolutely dependent on Chile for nitrate and on Germany for potassium salts, the two essentials for powder and explosives. Arthur Thompson led the grand march, a "4th pound" of the school, and Professor Louis A. Olney of the chemistry department, arranged for the lecture.

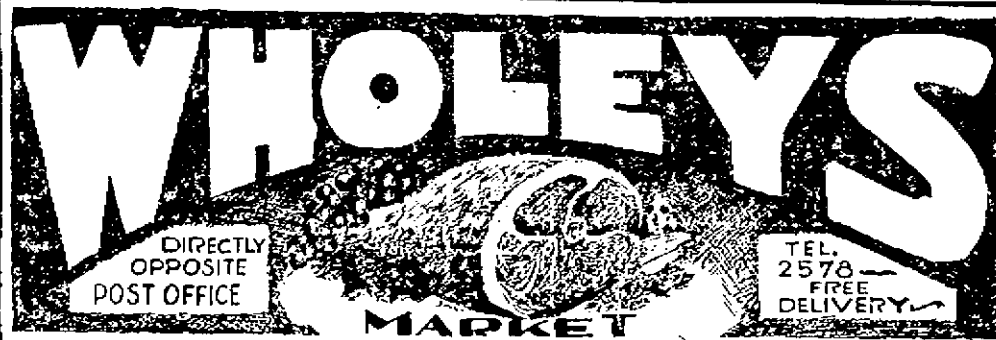
MOVE TO SALVAGE BIG OIL CARGO

ST. JOHN, N. B., April 8.—Steps were being taken today to salvage the 15,000 barrels of gasoline aboard the Imperial Oil Co.'s steamship Impecco, which went aground at Blouin Rock, while en route to this port from Halifax.

It is reported here that the Impecco was hard aground and that her hull had been crushed by the rocks. The Canadian government steamship Aberdeen has been requested to stand by the Impecco until a salvage steamer arrives from Halifax.

Foch Plans to Visit America

PARIS, April 8.—Marshal Foch has not as yet been advised of any invitation being extended to him by the American Legion to visit the United States during the coming summer. He would have gone during the present month, it is said, if his plans had not been deranged by the necessity of conferring with the supreme allied council and carrying out its decisions. It is difficult for him to make plans in advance. He hopes, however, to be able to find time for a visit to America in the near future.



Friday and Saturday Specials

Thick Rib Corned Beef, lb.	15¢	Evaporated Milk, can	12½¢
Lean Smoked Shoulders, lb.	17¢	Campbell's Tomato Soup, can	10¢
Legs Lamb, Genuine Spring, lb.	35¢	Fancy Head Rice 4 lbs.	25¢
Lean Corned Shoulders, lb.	17¢	Maine Style Corn, can	10¢
Top Rib Roast Beef, lb.	25¢	Ripe Bananas, doz.	25¢
Fancy Chuck Roast, lb.	20¢	Fancy Santos Coffee, lb.	19¢

Maple Syrup, gal.	\$2.75	Hamburg Steak, lb.	15¢, 20¢, 25¢	Swift Premium Bacon, lb.	58¢
Spinach, pk.	35¢	Lamb Forequarters, lb.	15¢	Choice Oolong Tea, lb.	25¢
Bermuda Onions, lb.	15¢	Frankfurts, lb.	19¢	Fancy Butter, lb.	40¢
Cucumbers, each	13¢	Rib Lamb Chops, lb.	28¢	Toy Pail Jelly	50¢
Lettuce, head	15¢	Honey Combed Tripe, lb.	15¢	Soaps of all kinds, 3 bars for	25¢
Onions 10 lbs.	10¢	Salt Pork, lb.	18¢	Pea Beans, lb.	7¢
Large Heavy Grapefruit, 13¢					
2 for 25¢					
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Style No. 1 narrow toe, with Cuban leather heels; sizes 1 to 9. Style No. 2, round toes with low rubber heels. Sizes 2½ to 9.

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WHERE BURROUGHS RESTS

"Here I climbed at sundown when a boy to rest from work and play. Here I hope to rest when my work and play are over—when the sun goes down—here by my boyhood rock." That wish, expressed by John Burroughs, America's great naturalist, was observed when he died. The arrow shows his grave by the big rock on his farm at Roxbury, New York. It is sheltered by an ironwood tree. In the foreground is a never-failing spring.

64 ADDITIONAL LEPERS DISCHARGED CURED

HONOLULU, T. H., April 7.—"Praise God from whom all blessings flow." Praise Him all creatures here below; Praise Him above, ye heavenly host; "Praise Father, Son and Holy Ghost."

In simple grandeur the notes and words of the old doxology arose from half a thousand throats; a stalwart, white-headed Hawaiian senator and pastor spoke a solemn benediction and 64 men and women—once lepers—filed between the lava pillars of Kalia's gates to freedom, back to a world from which they had been outcasts, back to the homes which some at least had believed they never would see again.

Science had won another great battle with the scourge of the ages. The 64 patients who were released on parole the other day from the Kalia hospital after treatment with refined chaulmoogra oil, constituted the third division so returned to their homes. In all 142 have been paroled during the last two years and not a single one has been sent back owing to recurrence of the disease.

Officially the institution is known as Kalia hospital, but its inmates call it by another name, a strange name, unless one has seen the cheerfulness born of hope that pervades the air there. It is "Mount Happy."

On the day the sixty and four were

paroled friends and relatives gathered from far and near in the islands to greet those who came out of the vale of shadow. Behind a hedge stood one group of smiling inmates, behind a frail wire fence another happy group. One group was to go back to the world the other was to remain for further treatment.

Still another group and larger, was gathered on the other side of the wire fence; they were the mothers, fathers, brothers, sisters, sons, daughters and friends of the paroled patients.

The clear voice of a Hawaiian woman started singing the doxology, others swelled the volume, and to the accompaniment of rustling palms, and the hum of a warm trade wind in the trees the air of thankfulness and praise carried through to its last grand note.

Stephen Desha, minister of the gospel and territorial senator, more than six feet in height, stalwart and white-headed pronounced a benediction in the Hawaiian tongue.

The 64 turned to the right and marched out between the lava pillars of the big gate to the arms of their waiting relatives and friends.

A Stockholm physician is reported to have discovered the microbes of sleeping sickness and to have established the fact that the disease is infectious. Rabbits were inoculated with brain substance from persons who had died of the disease.

A taxpayer of Georgia whose total tax is four cents insists on his right to pay it in four installments.

For his first installment he bought a one cent money order for which he paid three cents.

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4000 PLAYGROUNDS IN UNITED STATES

NEW YORK, April 6.—More than 4000 playgrounds and recreational centers in the United States are helping to keep boys out of mischief, teaching girls swimming and other athletics and showing adults how to benefit themselves physically and mentally by play.

The effect they have in keeping boys out of trouble with the police is emphasized in reports which have come to the playground and Recreation association from all over the country as one of the most important results of the establishment of playgrounds in cities. These facts are given in the year book of the association just made public.

The chief of police of San Francisco believes the establishment of neighborhood recreation centers is a constructive measure toward suppressing the crime wave. He asked the community service to extend its recreation work because he believed that the wrong use of leisure time had much to do with the increase in crime.

Granville Lee, supervisor of the Portland, Me., recreation commission, says that boys behave themselves better during the playground season and also that there are fewer street accidents of children because of playgrounds.

The playground directors of Bay City, Mich., have discovered that summer activities on the playgrounds have practically eliminated all swearing, cheating and stealing among the children. They note with satisfaction that the

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BOYS' ALL WOOL SUITS

\$9.85

Cassimeres, Flannels, Cheviots, Tweeds, Blues, Greens, Grays, Browns, Plain Colors and Mixtures.

THE COATS are plain or with yokes and inverted plaits; all round belts, pockets, half or fully lined.

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THE SUITS are really big values, well worth their regular price of \$12.50.



Blue Serge Suits

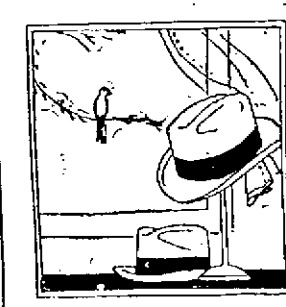
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Dark good tailored suits, spring style, blue guaranteed fast color. Sizes 7 to 17.



Men's Soft Hats

New Spring Styles

BROWN, GRAYS, BLUES, GREENS, BLACK

\$2.29

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For Colds, Grip or Influenza and as a preventive, take GROVE'S Laxative, BRONCHO QUIET Tablets. The genuine bears the signature of Dr. W. Grove. (Be sure you get BROMO.)



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THE GREATEST SPENDER

Robert Weeks De Forest
Makes Monty Brewster
Look Like Piker

BY R. J. GIBBONS
NEW YORK, April 8.—America's greatest spender is Robert Weeks De Forest. Monty Brewster of "Brewster's Millions" is a piker compared with him. But De Forest has none of Brewster's characteristics—even though he is compelled to spend millions where the money-ridden Monty has had to spend mere hundreds of thousands. De Forest is 73 and a lawyer, though he reminds one much of a dignified



ROBERT WEEKS DE FOREST

and prosperous small town doctor. He is fondness and fatherliness personified.

His millions he's spending, slow with regret through his fingers—but, you can stake your last cent on this, he forces money where every penny of it is going.

Can you imagine being ordered to spend \$50,000,000 in four or five years?

Well, that was the order. De Forest and four associates got from the court as executors of the terms of the will of the late Mrs. Russell Sage. Many requests were specified; but much was left to the discretion of the executors. De Forest is president of the Russell Sage Foundation.

He has done very well so far, spending something like \$41,000,000 since 1915. That leaves him \$9,000,000 more to get rid of—in addition to \$5,000,000 he has made for the estate since no took charge of it.

That's one difficulty De Forest faces in getting these millions spent—unless he hurries they make more millions. Of course, if it wasn't for fear of a riot, De Forest could give it all away in a day.

"Money is just like sugar," he says. "Flies come for the sugar. Humans want the money—from afar."

"Handling \$5 millions, or one million, or just a few hundred thousand are tasks quite similar."

"The duties are much like administering any business—a grocery store for example."

"But are the worries identical or equal?" De Forest was asked.

"Hardly," he said. "Dollars are cares. To direct their power for good requires time and application of sound business principles, with lots of humanity thrown in between times."

In addition to spending one of the largest estates ever amassed, De Forest has many other duties which are part of the job.

He is rent collector for about 5000 pieces of real estate, director in numerous railroads and corporations, and "daddy" to some 500 beneficiaries.

De Forest's chief worries are the tax collectors scattered throughout the various states.

De Forest dreams about these gentle by night. And they cluster up his mail and pester him by day.

Asked if he would be glad when the money was gone, De Forest smiled, yawned a little, and said there were fine golf courses in the south, and he guessed he'd start down there one of these days.

The New York legislature has passed a law making it a misdemeanor for a person to engage in the business of theatre ticket "scalping" on the street, near the premises of a theatre or in a place of amusement.

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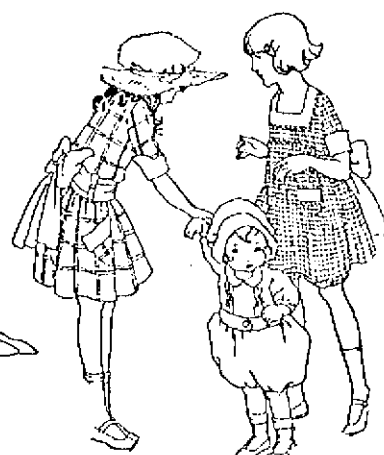
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STORE NEWS

It is weeks since I have written "Store News," but I like to write this column so well that I just couldn't stay away any longer. So here I am—

I noticed some 12 oz. size extra heavy fruit glass bottles with patent glass stoppers in our Housewares Department. One could use them very nicely for "Various Purposes," and they cost only 10¢ apiece.

SOMEHOW or other, mail, raisins, and brown sugar come to mind. Of course we sell them in our Self-Service Grocery store on Prescott Street, but I wonder what made me think of these particular articles

MR. H. I. HARRIMAN, speaker at the Chamber of Commerce luncheon Wednesday, made the statement that in time trains would be electrically operated. Thanks Bo! In the meantime those who travel constantly will welcome a facial massage. There is nothing like it for getting all the coal dust out. Get one at our Beauty Shops next time you are down-town.

THIS is National Gingham Week. To think of gingham is to think of cool dainty dresses, refreshing ices, and the good old summer time.

THE gingham is in our dress goods section, third floor. But how shall you make these pretty gingham gowns we hear so much about? You'll find an answer in the new summer issue of the McCall Book of Fashions.

BEFORE the pattern stood in the way of many women—not every one could figure out the puzzling circles and perforations. Learning to sew meant really "studying out the pattern" and a good many women couldn't take the time for it. Today the McCall Pattern is printed. It is simple—easy—and sure.

DO you embroider? Perhaps there are some new ideas in needlework that you'd like to ask about? Or it's possible that you'd like to learn how to do just a few of the very simplest things in needlework? Lessons, absolutely without charge, as many as you wish, will be given you in our Art Needlework department on the street floor. The only stipulation is that your materials be purchased at Chalifoux's.

DO you know how to adjust your veil? Whether you do or not, you'll enjoy talking over the newest methods with the trained saleswomen in the Veiling Section. You will find Chalifoux Veiling Service a pleasure always.

SOME dandy new dance records are included in the Victor records for April which are just out. Now that the days are getting warmer why not consider a Victrola? Just think of the pleasure one can derive from bringing the Victrola out on the Veranda—clearing away the chairs, etc., and dancing with "somebody" to the music of a good dance record and having a friendly moon looking on. My but I am a romantic soul!

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LABOR'S PLAN TO END DISPUTES

R. R. Unions Ask Pres.
Harding to Call Confer-
ence to Settle Controversy

Proposes Rules Governing
Working Conditions to Re-
place National Agreements

CHICAGO, April 8.—Five railroad labor unions with 500,000 members last night submitted to President Harding labor's plan for ending industrial disputes between the roads and their workers, proposing that the president call a conference of representatives of both sides at which new rules governing working conditions would be worked out to take the place of the national agreements, now in dispute before the Railroad Labor board.

The proposal was contained in a statement by representatives of the five mechanical unions and was sent to the president by R. M. Jewell, president of the railway employees' department of the American Federation of Labor.

It proposed that all wage disputes be held in abeyance pending the conference, holding that the matter of wages could be quickly adjusted to the satisfaction of all as soon as the question of rules had been settled.

The telegram was sent in response to a request from President Harding at the recent conference held with Mr. Jewell that labor submit its plan for ending the railroad industrial troubles. It included 12 points which were termed "labor's self-evident and inalienable rights" which, it said, would have to be settled at the proposed conference and specified that the national agreements should not be discontinued in any way pending the outcome of the proposed conference.

It was suggested that the conference be held under the jurisdiction of the railroad labor board, which would have full authority over it.

Included in the 12 points which the unions said should be held up were the basic eight-hour day, the right of collective bargaining, the right of each craft to decide what organization should represent it at any conference with employers and adjustment of "proper pay" for overtime work.

The statement in the telegram was signed by J. F. Anderson, vice-president of the International Association of Machinists; Edward Tegetmeyer, vice president of the International



WILL SHE AID MOTHER OR FATHER?

Miss Anne Stillman, 19, has been "neutral" up to the present, in the divorce case brought by her father, James A. Stillman, president of the National City Bank, New York. It is reported that Miss Stillman has now decided to aid her mother, because of Stillman's charge that Fred Beauvais, Canadian guide, is the father of Baby Guy Stillman. Mrs. Stillman counter-claims that Stillman is the father of Jay Leeds, two-year-old son of Mrs. Florence H. Leeds, former chorus girl.

Undaunted Launched

PORTLAND, Ore., April 8.—The Undaunted, the last Ferris type wooden shipping board hull to be launched in the United States, glided from the ways of the Grant Smith-Porter Shipyard yesterday. The vessel will be schooner rigged and used in the lumber trade.

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- Men's Black Twill and Sateen Work Shirts; \$2 value ... 89¢
- New Lot of Men's Neglige Dress Shirts; \$2.00 value ... 99¢
- Men's Overalls; all \$2 values. This lot consists of the following—Blue Denim Overalls, sizes 38 to 46; Heavy White Drill, sizes 35 to 46; Heavy Black Twill, sizes 38 to 46; Brown Check, 38 to 46; all union made. Choice 99¢
- Men's Cotton Socks; 15c value ... 9¢
- Men's Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers; 60c value ... 39¢

WOMEN'S DRY GOODS SECTION

- Women's Cotton Hosiery; 20c value, pair ... 5¢
- Women's Lisle Hose, seamed black; 30c value ... 19¢
- Women's Silk Lisle Hose, seamed back; 10c value ... 39¢
- Women's Outsize Vests, with or without sleeves; 20c value ... 15¢
- Women's Bungalow Aprons; elastic waists; \$1.50 value. Today only ... 75¢
- Women's Crepe Bloomers with fancy ruffled knees; regular and extra sizes, 2 for ... 99¢
- Women's Undermuslins, Women's Cotton Drawers, open style; pink poplin camisoles, lace trimmed; black sateen bloomers; your choice, 2 for ... 99¢
- Women's Swiss Ribbed Union Suits, low necked, sleeveless and light-knee ... 49¢
- Polly Prim Aprons, made of fast color percale; regular 50c value ... 49¢

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CHILDREN'S SECTION

- Boys' Blouses and Shirts, neat striped percales, attached collars ... 49¢
- Boys' Blue Denim Overalls, sizes 3 1-4; regular 80c value ... 49¢
- Boys' Corduroy Knickers ... 99¢ Pair
- Young Men's Khaki Pants, sizes 28-34, 99¢ Pr.
- Children's Hosiery, fine ribbed lisle, black, white and cordovan, fast colors, all sizes, 19¢ Pr.
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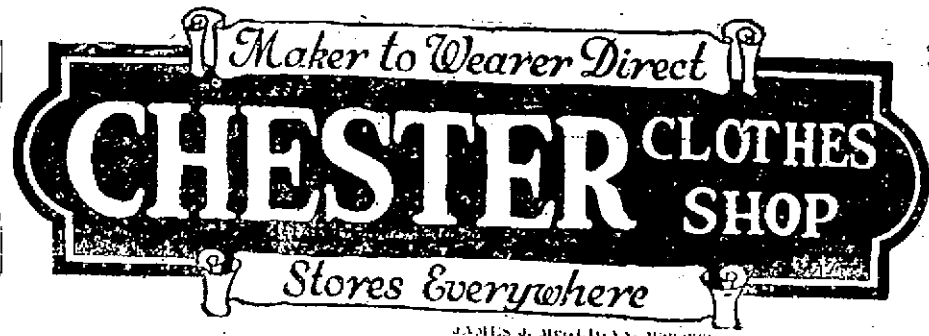
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Brotherhood of Blacksmiths, Drop Forgers and Helpers of America; William Atkinson, assistant president of the International Brotherhood of Harp- makers, Iron Shipbuilders and Help- ers of America; J. W. Burns, repre- senting the Amalgamated Metal Work- ers International Alliance; Edward J. Evans, representing the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers; and Martin F. Ryan, general president of the Brotherhood of Railway Carmen of America.

The statement said that the unions did not contend for continuation of any rule which was not just and that it would be easy to decide at the pro- posed conference what rules could be made national and what matters would have to be settled locally.

"Our present national agreement provides the only safeguard for the transportation industry against indus- trial and industrial warfare and for this reason it might not be discontinued until at the conference table an understanding has been made by mutual agreement as to the fundamental guarantee of industrial justice," said the statement in part. "We recommend, therefore, the following:

"That a conference committee be called composed of practical mechan- ical department officials from each of the general managers' districts in rep- resent the carriers and an equal num- ber of representatives selected by the employees to represent the employees. This conference committee shall agree what disposition should be made of any rule it might deem impracticable of general application. They should attempt to agree on such rules as can be made general in their applica- tion upon all railroads insofar as it is possible to have such uniformity without imposing any unjust or un- reasonable conditions and they should recognize these principles and sug- gestions which the members of our or- ganizations consider to be fundamental and irrevocable.

"Just as our forefathers in 1776 de-

clared that certain principles of free- dom were so evident and inalienable, so today our members hold that the following principles are self-evident and attainable industrial rights which, through conference and agreement should be made mandatory upon indus- trial relations and conditions through- out the transportation period:

"1—The right to organize and nego- tiate collectively through representa- tives of their own choosing.

"2—The protection of employees against discrimination because of membership in trade unions or because of legitimate trade union activities.

"3—The right of the majority in each craft on each railroad to deter- mine what organization shall repre- sent them; this organization to have the right to negotiate an agreement which shall apply to all workers in each craft.

"4—The right of the majority of each craft on each railroad to select a com- mittee or representatives who shall handle all grievances which may arise affecting all employees of the craft in accordance with the provisions of the agreement.

"5—Eight hours as the recognized measure of the standard work day.

"6—As a post-day measure, to safe- guard the standard work day, payment for the time worked in excess of the regular eight hours at proper over- time rates for the various classes of service required.

"7—The teaching and ending of working shifts to be so arranged as to permit of home arrangements by em- ployees and their families.

"8—Clear and concise definition in the case of each craft of the work to be performed by mechanics and help- ers.

"9—The establishment of apprentice- ship requirements so as to develop a sufficient number of competent me- chanics.

"10—Applicants for employment as

mechanics to show that they have served an apprenticeship of four years or performed mechanics' work for a similar period and not to be denied employment when their services are needed, for any reason other than their inability to perform the work for which they are making application.

"11—Craft point seniority to be rec- ognized.

"12—The establishment of reasonable

safeguards for the protection of health and safety of employees."



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NEW PROPOSAL FROM GERMANY

Paris Expects Fresh Proposition on Reparations, it is Reported

Say Germans Making Another Effort to Interest United States

PARIS, April 8.—(By the Associated Press)—It was stated semi-officially here today that a fresh proposition on reparations was expected from Germany. Unconfirmed reports are in circulation that the Germans are making another effort to interest the United States in the question by negotiations between Karl Bergmann, German under-secretary of the treasury, and Roland W. Boyden, formerly American unofficial representative with the allied reparations commission. Mr. Boyden, however, is now in Vienna on his way to Constantinople, it is understood. Nothing is known in official circles of a reported invitation to the allies and Germans to meet in Washington to discuss reparations, and it is declared here there is little likelihood of such procedure being favored by the allies. The present expectation is that the allies will issue an ultimatum to Germany on the expiration of the time limit set for the payment by Germany of 20,000,000 marks gold, May 1.

(In answering the recent German communication to Washington on the subject of reparations, Secretary Hughes said the United States believed that it recognized in the German memorandum "a sincere desire on the part of the German government to reopen negotiations with the allies on a new basis.")

Germany has announced that a note will be sent to the allied supreme council before May 1, embodying an offer for the employment of German labor and material for reconstruction of the devastated regions of northern France.

The allied commission on reparations today heard the German viewpoint of the maritime damage for which Germany should pay.

The German delegation here maintained that Germany should not be obliged to pay compensation for merchant vessels sunk while doing war work and under military or naval orders. Cargoes lost should not be paid for, they declared, if of a military or naval nature. German ships seized in

URGENT "DEFAMATION OF LABOR ORGANIZATIONS"

CHICAGO, April 8.—The authenticity of a letter alleged by labor representatives to have been signed by T. W. Geer, general manager of the Pennsylvania railroad at St. Louis suggesting "defamation of all labor organizations if necessary" to obtain information concerning a wage reduction proposal, can be substantiated by witnesses, union leaders declared before the railroad labor board today.

The board was asked to call five witnesses, including Mr. Geer, to clear up the matter. Introduction of an alleged copy of the letter before the board recently called forth a denial from Mr. Geer that he had written it.

The letter, dated March 10, 1921, was addressed to all supervisory employees and asked them to obtain information regarding the attitude of employees on a proposed wage reduction.

"In connection with this proposed investigation would advise that you use every available means to guard this information even resorting to defamation of all labor organizations, if necessary," the letter said.

**INQUEST ON DEATH
OF AGED FARMER**

ROCKLAND, Me., April 8.—The inquest on the death of Joseph Koskinen, alleged to have been beaten insensible, then hanged from the limb of a tree near his home at East Warren, will be held tomorrow afternoon at Warren town house, Medical Examiner G. L. Crockett announced today. An arrest, if any, will not be made until after the inquest.

allied ports or captured, if used by the government seizing them and then sunk by the Germans, should not be paid for the Germans contended, and no compensation should be paid for losses due to maritime risks nor for ships which disappeared unless Germany should be proved responsible for their disappearance. Germany admitted certain disappearances of vessels as being due to war.

The value of the cargoes for which Germany is liable to pay should be estimated at the price paid by the last owner, the German delegates asserted, and ships lost should be paid for on the basis of their value at the time they were lost.

The commission expects to announce its decisions shortly.

The Hatfield-McCoy feud that raged for nearly 30 years in the Kentucky West Virginia mountains and resulted in 26 known deaths and an untold number of "disappearances" started in an argument over the ownership of two backback hogs.

NEW LOCKERS FOR PUBLIC BATH HOUSE

Twenty-six new lockers are to be installed in the public bath house off Varum avenue before the building is opened for use. This will bring the total number to 260. Employees of the park department are repairing several of those which have been damaged and the shutters on the outside of the building are being removed. Supt. John W. Kernan says the building will open at the same time the metropolitan bath houses open, probably in the middle of June, but the park department will have everything in readiness so that if a warm day comes before that time, the building can be thrown open at a minute's notice.

RECALLS KLONDIKE Great Excitement Over Discovery of Oil in Tabasco

MEXICO CITY, April 8.—Contracts for the lease of oil lands in the state of Tabasco must receive the sanction of the department of commerce and industry, says an official announcement.

There has been excitement over the discovery of oil in Tabasco and operators have rushed to the district. Most of the leases have been given foreign oil men and confer rights to the subsoil, presenting problems much the same as encountered in petroleum developments in the Tampico fields.

The Excelsior says that at Frontera, the principal port of Tabasco, there are enacted scenes similar to those in the Klondike when the gold rush was on.

ELGIN LODGE
Members of Elgin Lodge, N.E.O.P., addressed by William L. Curtis of Equity Lodge, Lawrence.

Members of Elgin lodge, 166, N.E.O.P., were addressed by William L. Curtis of Equity Lodge, Lawrence, who was recently appointed supervisor for this district, at their regular meeting, which was held last evening in Veritas hall, Branch street. Mr. Curtis spoke on the campaign for 1921, and members for the order, which will be brought to a close next month, and urged the members of Elgin lodge to do their utmost in bringing the campaign to a successful end.

At their lodge is concerned. In the course of the meeting routine business was transacted and it was announced that the grand warden had divided the territory into 15 sections. He will personally assume charge of the Boston sector.

Other sectors and supervisors are as follows: Brockton, Amos R. Gulliver; L. Wendell Gannon; North Adams sector, Janet M. P. Henderson, supervisor; Springfield sector, Annie A. Collins, supervisor; Framingham, Charles H. Chamberlain; Worcester, James H. Nicholson; Holyoke, John W. Short; Greenfield, Thomas G. Henderson; New Bedford, Lizzie E. Gilbert; Attleboro, Eliza M. Chadwick; Cape Cod, Frank H. Cushing; Taunton, George Mansfield; Lowell, William E. Curtis; Newburyport, Alfred Perry; Lynn and Salem, Frank W. Sweet.

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Cheese, lb. 34c
Buckwheat Flour, bulk, lb. 6c
Pat-a-Cake Flour, pkg. 23c
Tomato Soup, Mother Cook Brand 5c
Del Monte Pears, No. 2 can 23c
Del Monte Cherries, No. 1 can 30c
Del Monte Apricots, No. 2 can 20c
Pears, Cordova Brand, 2 cans 25c
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CLEANING LADD AND WHITNEY MONUMENT

Members of the three local posts of the G.A.R. will meet this evening to decide whether the proposed cleaning of the Ladd and Whitney monument in Monument square will prove injurious to the granite. Upon the decision of the posts will depend the action of the park department. If they approve of it, Mathias A. Connor will be authorized to start the work at once; if not, the monument will remain in its present condition. At its last meeting the park commission made financial provision for the cleaning of the granite.

WAGE REDUCTIONS

**Penn. R. R. Proposes Cuts
of 16 to 18 Per Cent**

PITTSBURGH, April 8.—Sixteen to 18 per cent wage reductions were proposed to representatives of the stationary engine and boiler room forces of the Pennsylvania railroad today. The present wage scale averages 55 cents an hour. The management contemplates also the reduction of \$1 a day from the wages of those paid by the day and a 25 a month reduction for those paid monthly.

BENTLEY OF ICE IN NEW ENGLAND

MOSTY, April 8.—New England has ice enough to take care of its own needs this year. President G. H. Volter of the Massachusetts Ice Dealers' association said in his address at its annual convention yesterday. A shortage exists in some localities, however, he said, adding that existing freight rates some communities were likely to pay more than others.

Big Observance Sunday

The centennial of the independence of their mother land, Greece, plans for the big event have been completed and all that remains to make the affair the biggest and most impressive ever conducted under the auspices of the Greek-speaking people of Lowell, is good weather.

The chief marshal of the parade, Christos Ziogkos, president of the local community, has issued an order requesting all societies and in fact all people who will participate in the big parade to report at the Holy Trinity church in Jefferson street not later than 1 o'clock Sunday afternoon, as it is planned to start the parade at 1:30 sharp.

The roster as announced this morning will be as follows: Platoon of eight police officers, commanded by a lieutenant, band, chief marshal and staff, Greek-speaking young men, who have military uniform; school children, P.E.A. Girls, Langadia society, Harnes society, Rigas Feralos society, King Othon society, band and members of the community.

All those who take part in the parade will carry small American and Greek flags, with an exception of the soldiers. The parade will start at 1:30 o'clock and the revised route of march follows:

Lewis street to Broadway, to Adams, to Market, to Dutton, to Theronike, to Middlesex, to Central, to Merrimack, as far as Associate hall, where a mass meeting will be held. The exercises at the hall, over which President Christos Ziogkos will preside, will consist of a special memorial service conducted by Rev. Nestor Soultides and Rev. Nicholas Menides, the priests of the church; the singing of "America" and Greek national hymns by the school children; address in Greek and English by Dr. John G. Gatsopoulos; chorus and readings by the school children; address by Rev. Nestor Soultides, and other readings and songs.

Invitations to attend the mass meeting have been sent to Mayor Thompson, Superintendent of Schools Molloy, Principal Henry H. Harris of the high school, Joseph G. Pyne, professor of Greek at the high school, W. C. MacBrayne, Rev. Appleton Grants and to all the president of the local banks and the ex-mayors of Lowell.

Can Buy Booze Any Place

Continued

with the words, "I think the police ought to have their attention called to this," had the defendant reiterate his charges, saying "Here's information for you." The defendant was given another chance to provide for his wife and children.

Five months in the house of correction was the penalty imposed on James P. Fells. A second defendant, charged with non-support and arrested on a capias by Detect. Ryan and Officers Murphy and J. F. Lynch, Mrs. Fells told the court that since June, 1920, she has not received a cent from her husband, who is a chauffeur by trade. She said that she didn't know where her husband has been. Fells was surrendered failed to keep his agreement with regards to caring for his wife. He appealed the five-month sentence, and was held in bonds of \$100 for the superior court.

Abraham Amin, a third alleged errand apone, was brought before the court on non-support charges. His wife excitedly accused him of being intimate with another woman. "I earn money, and he takes it away from me and buys shoes for her," she exclaimed. The husband, on his part, claimed to have letters relating to a friendship between his wife and another man, "Where are they?" demanded the court. Amin replied

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they were "at home." The court gave him until tomorrow to produce them, and continued the case until then. Bonds of \$300 were fixed.

The case of Thomas Eagan, charged with drunkenness, came up on a continuance, but Judge Enright was informed that the defendant had taken that advantage of the opportunity afforded

him to leave town and avoid a sentence. "He'll be back," commented His Honor, Joseph Charron, charged with drunkenness, had his case continued to tomorrow to see if he will make provision for his two children. In the juvenile court, Walter J. Ferron was sent to the Lyman school, on a revoked suspension.

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 Campbell's Tomato Soup. Special, can 10c
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 National Brand Interlined Rubber Collars—the 35c kind. Our price 25c
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PLANS FOR INTER-OCEANIC CANAL

MANAGUA, Nicaragua, April 8.—A commission of American engineers is expected to arrive here soon to approve plans for an inter-oceanic canal over the Nicaraguan route. The commission is believed here to have power to take definite action on the project.

NATURE PROTECTION
 An illustrated lecture on "Nature Protection" was given to the pupils of the Chelmsford high school at the close of yesterday's school session by Superintendent of Schools Putney. The talk proved interesting and instructive, while the pictures shown, a number of which were photographed by the speaker, were very pretty.

At one time in England every ambassador to that country had his own stage coach.

A MINISTERIAL CRISIS IN HUNGARY

BUDAPEST, April 8.—A ministerial crisis has arisen as a result of the visit of former Emperor Charles to this country and the national assembly has adjourned until after Regent Horthy and Premier Teleky have conferred on the situation.

During yesterday's session of the assembly a note from the premier was read, stating that he considered the stability of the government endangered, owing to the "situation of certain ministers in connection with recent events."

"I must, therefore," the note continued, "make propositions to the assembly regarding the government."

Investigation of the circumstances surrounding the attempt of Charles to regain the throne has been demanded at a meeting of agrarian members of the assembly.

It appears that the anti-Carlists had confidential agents in the vicinity of the former emperor while he was in this country and it is declared they have a list of men assisting him in his attempt to re-establish himself on the throne. The agrarian deputies have urged their punishment on a charge of treason.

The anti-Carlists accuse the government of lack of energy respecting the king. They declare the government permitted him to hold a regular court at Steinhilber. Opponents of the restoration of the Hapsburgs appear to be most concerned with the role played by Bishop Miklos of Steinhilber, who in a sermon delivered last Christmas, forecast "the king's resurrection" at Easter. The attitude of Gen. Lebar, governor of West Hungary, is also strongly criticized.

DANCE IN PARISH HALL

More than one hundred young people attended the dance conducted last evening in St. Anne's parish hall by St. Anne's Dramatic club, and all enjoyed the program thoroughly. Those in charge of the affair were Charles Sewell, general manager; W. White, assistant; Murray Spaulding, door director; Benjamin Taylor, assistant and B. Marston, chief aid.

TO PLANT 30,000 TREES

CLEVELAND, April 8.—Thirty thousand trees are to be planted along Cleveland streets under the direction of the city forester in the week beginning today. The week will be tree planting week by resolution of the city council. Appropriate exercises were held in all the schools.

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PLANS NATION-WIDE BUILDING BOOM

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Plans for a meeting of manufacturers of building material, contractors and workmen to launch a nation-wide campaign by May 1 to encourage building were presented yesterday to Sec. Davis by representatives of the national federation of construction industries and endorsed by him.

He said he heartily approved the plan of getting architects, engineers, builders, contractors, manufacturers and workmen together in council for the purpose of eliminating waste and improving building conditions.

At the same time, Sec. Hoover announced that the department of commerce had begun gradual organization of a committee to work out a standardization of building materials and a unified building code for the benefit of the entire country.

Conflicts in the building codes of different localities, Mr. Hoover explained, cause losses of from 10 to 20 per cent. in construction values in a year which could be avoided by the adoption of a single code.

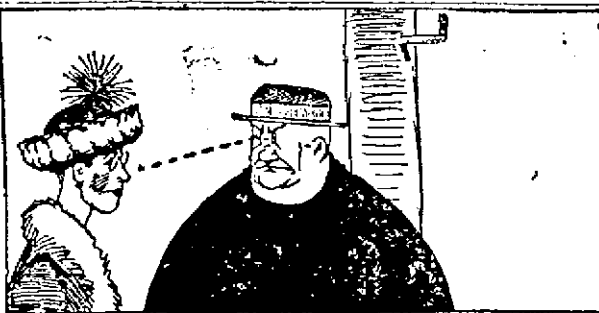
Efforts are being made, he said, to get the fire marshals of cities and the architects on one side, and the building trades on the other, to agree upon a single code. Attempts to this end, he added, have been made before, but never with direct government co-operation.

BERESNACK ACQUITTED

BOSTON, April 8.—Samuel Beresnack, prohibition enforcement agent on trial charged with soliciting and accepting bribes from alleged prohibition law violators, last night was acquitted by a federal court jury after 11 hours of deliberation. Beresnack's defense was that he was the victim of a "frame-up" against the prohibition enforcement system rather than against him personally.

EVERETT TRUE

BY CONDO



I HAVE YET TO LEARN WHY SO MANY WOMEN WHO PAINT THEIR FACES TO SIMULATE YOUTH AND AT THE SAME TIME OVERLOOK THE JAUNDICED AREAS ON THE BACK OF THE NECK AND BEHIND THE EARS!



NORTH BILLERICA

Plan on Foot to Start Co-operative Bank

The advisability of starting a co-operative bank in North Billerica will be discussed at a meeting of residents of the town, which will be held Saturday evening in the town hall. The meeting will be in charge of the following committee who has been appointed to get in touch with as many as possible, who are in favor of the project: John Barrington, T. Frank Lyons and Edgar P. Sellow.

Candidates Initiated

Loyal Asa Pollard lodge, I.O.O.F. No. 101 of North Billerica held a regular meeting last evening in Union hall. There was a large attendance, considerable business was transacted and a large class of candidates was initiated by the degree team of Loyal Wamsell lodge of this city. At the close of the business session an entertainment program was given and refreshments were served.

HOOVER PLANS TO AID FOREIGN TRADE

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Exemption of the profits of American concerns doing business in foreign countries from the American excess profits and income tax laws was advocated yesterday by Secretary Hoover.

Complaints have been received from American concerns in all parts of the world, Mr. Hoover said, that they are forced to compete with foreign houses who pay only local taxes, while American concerns pay excess profits and income taxes at home in addition to the dues in the foreign countries.

Mr. Hoover declared that provision should be made to exempt American concerns from that portion of their profits derived from foreign business.

TO DECIDE IF CLAM IS MIGRATORY FISH

WASHINGTON, April 8.—The age-old question of whether a clam is a migratory fish, came to the supreme court today for decision. Mussel fishermen operating on Little River, Mo., appealed for a review of decisions holding that removal of the shellfish from a public stream passing through private property, was "trespass," despite state laws vesting all rights to game and fish in the public. The lower court held that "the fresh water mussel is a shell-fish capable of locomotion sufficient to bring it within the category of migratory fish."

RETURNS WITH REPORT ON RECENT PLEBISCITE

PARIS, April 8.—General Lerond, head of the inter-allied commission which supervised the recent plebiscite in upper Silesia, arrived in Paris today bringing with him, it is supposed, the report on the plebiscite, upon which the supreme council must decide April 21, under the terms of the peace treaty, decide the boundaries between Poland and Germany in this district. The peace treaty is interpreted as obliging the supreme council to assign to Poland the districts which gave a majority in her favor.

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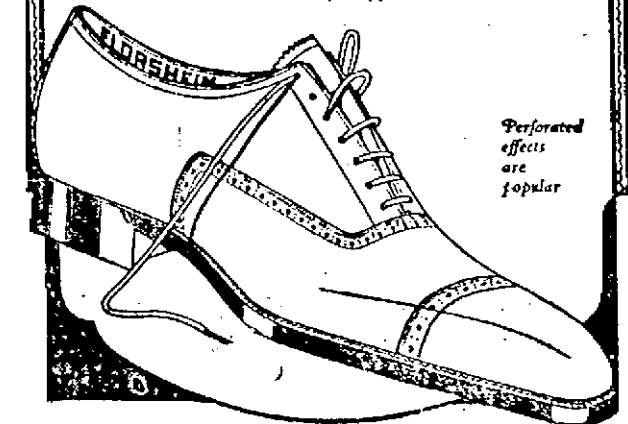


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ROBIN RED-BREAST AS PANSY THIEF

Mary Seaman, friend of birds and creatures of the open, will contribute a series of short, intimate stories of feathered friends for Sun readers. Don't miss these stories. They have the very breath of spring. The first of the series follows:

BY MARY SEAMAN
The way a Daddy Robin spoiled my pansy plants was a surprise, not altogether pleasant.

That best-loved bird of our childhood needs a certain thing for his nest. The nest simply must have it in the right quantity at house building time, or Mr. and Mrs. Robin's house building is a failure, apt to result in tragedy

before the family is out of the nest. Just in nest-building time of which I speak, the season was unusually dry, and mud, just plain, common mud, was hard to find. I was raising pansy plants in a box that was placed on a dog kennel. Twice a day while there was so little rain these plants were soaked with water, and were thriving satisfactorily. But all at once plants disappeared. Big holes were in the soil where plants should be flourishing, and there was no sign of the thief. There appeared to be no one to accuse. The box was too high for marauding chickens of the neighborhood.

Early next morning, however, the thief was found, and he was no one but Daddy Robin! The box of plants was quite muddy, and in search for this essential for the plastering of his nest Mr. Robin located that desired

material in my pansy box, and I suppose by experimenting he found he could carry away larger quantities by taking pansy plants, with the mud sticking to the fibrous roots. No amount of "shooing" him away could save the plants, and the bed was rather empty that summer, while his nest was well plastered.

The nest was a queer one, or else it was a queer pair of robins that built it, for it was perched on a telephone pole at the cross-piece, the last place one would think the robins would choose for a nest in a town filled with trees. The nest hung there through the vicissitudes of many hard rains that followed the dry spell, and later gave young robins with fat, speckled breasts lepped about the yard, reminding me daily of why my pansy bed was empty.

GERMAN OFFICER SHOT

Killed After Making Attack on Officials of Inter-Allied Plebiscite Commission—Three Men Wounded

BERLIN, April 8.—The Berliner Zeitung reports that a German captain named Von Denning recently attacked and wounded three officials of the inter-allied plebiscite commission at Gleiwitz, Prussian Silesia. The newspaper says Von Denning was then shot down by another member of the commission.

WELFARE WORKER'S REPORT

The following report has been submitted by Leah G. Lowell, welfare worker for the Florence Crittenton league and special policeman, March 1 to April 1, 1921: Office calls, 21; calls on girls and families, 121; girls placed, 4; placed in Florence Crittenton home, Boston, 1; court cases, 5; physicians consulted, 5; hospitals visited, 7; conferences with workers, 2; meetings attended, 6; theatres and moving picture houses visited, 5; travelers' aid cases, 1.

SNEEZE IS ACCIDENT

DETROIT, April 8.—Judge Goff's jury decided that a sneeze is an accident. That was in the suit of Mrs. Sarah Dunwoody against an accident insurance company for the death of her husband, Dr. John H. Dunwoody. He died from influenza after a patient sneezed.

Juan Fernandez island off the coast of Chile, where Alexander Selkirk, the original of Defoe's Robinson Crusoe, spent four lonely years. Is to be turned into a health resort by the Chilean government. The island is 13 miles long and four miles wide.



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DE VALERA AND DEVLIN RATIFY AGREEMENT

DUBLIN, April 8.—Joseph Devlin, nationalist member of parliament, for Belfast, and Eamon de Valera, one of the prime movers in the Irish republican agitation, have ratified the agreements of last month under which the Sinn Féin constitutional and nationalist parties will present a united front to the unionist forces in the coming elections in the north of Ireland.

All the candidates have agreed to accept the principle of self-determination of Ireland and have pledged themselves to abstain from sitting in the Irish parliament if elected.

Dublin castle last night reported at midnight Wednesday masked armed men held up the manager and the assistant manager of the Lifford bank in Charlestown, took from them the keys of the safe and made off with \$800 pounds of sterling. Simultaneously other persons raided the Charlestown post-office and took away all the letters, except those that had been registered.

Blanket-like strips of asphalt of 25 to 50 feet in length and varying in thickness up to several feet have been cast up along several miles of the Quintana beach in Texas. The beach for a long distance has taken on the characteristics of a motor roadway.

FOUNDATION FOR SELF-GOVERNMENT

An election of officers for the Y.M.C.A. dormitory organization, known as "Ired Triangle Village," will take place Saturday and Sunday. Last evening a supper and business meeting was held, which laid the foundation for self-government of the "village," with a mayor, clerk, and five councilmen. The dormitory has been divided into five wards with one member of the council representing each. The following names of candidates were submitted by the nominating committee: For mayor, A. B. Goodwin, L. P. Conley and C. Chills; for clerk, G. Thompson, C. Kellogg and H. C. Brown. The nominations for councilmen were: Ward 1, H. E. Beale, W. Peterson; ward 2, S. Shannon, W. Rhodes; ward 3, J. Southern, E. T. Clough; ward 4, J. E. Wilson, A. Livingston; ward 5, H. E. Dumesnil, C. K. Woodward.

GERMAN TRADE ACTIVITY IN CHINA

WASHINGTON, April 8.—A noticeable increase of German trade activity in China was reported to the department of commerce today by Commercial Attaché Arnold at Peking. Considerable quantities of German manufactured goods, including electrical machinery, dyes, iron, steel products, and hardware, are becoming factors in the Chinese market, while exporting of Chinese products through German concerns also is being developed.

SAFE ROADS WEEK

More Autos and Fewer Accidents in Massachusetts

"The traffic officers job," says the Safe Roads Federation of Massachusetts, which is standing behind Safe Roads Week, "is a real man's job. If he does not realize it, he is not yet up to standard. If the public does not understand it, then it is not giving him the full measure of co-operation."

"The traffic officer is the referee and umpire of the highways, which belong 50-50 to the pedestrian and to the driver of a vehicle. His word is law, because in no other way can there be a fair division of our busy thoroughfares."

"In Boston, which has the largest traffic force in the state, and therefore the most highly trained, two facts are defied into the men who are assigned to that work. They are taught, first, to have determination in giving a signal. The gesture of the hand must convey a distinct command."

"They are instructed, second, never to change a signal once it is given. For example, if an officer has made the signal for vehicle traffic to come on, and at that moment a belated pedestrian is discovered rushing across the street, no attempt must be made to arrest the motor cars already in motion. There is more chance for confusion and accident in that than in

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SPECIAL SALE New Silk Dresses \$14.75

VALUES TO \$22.50

All New Spring Styles, in the Leading Shades of Taffeta, Satin and Crepe de Chine.



JERSEY SUITS

Heather shades and plain colors; tuxedo or button coats. Very smart and serviceable. Specially priced \$10.75

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Of pure worsted, in navy, brown and sparrow, as well as heather shades, in all sizes. \$14.75 and \$19.50

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Of pure worsted jersey, in tan, brown, navy and black. Very stylish and just the coat to wear with novelty skirts. Specially priced, \$11.98

GEORGETTE WAISTS

New styles, with filet trimmed collars and frilled front effects. Flesh or white. Special \$5.98

WRAPS AND COATS

Beautiful models of chambray, bolivia, velour and tricolour \$25.00 to \$59.50

SPRING TOILET REQUISITES

AT GENEROUS SAVING

Glaze Liquid Nail Polish 49¢
Prophylactic Hair Brushes, \$2.00 value \$1.49
Turkish Face Cloths, 10¢ values 3 for 25¢

—SOAPS—

Palmolive 7½¢
Palmolive Bath Tablet 7½¢
Palmolive Laundry 7½¢
Kokopalm 3 for 10¢
Cuticura 20¢
Woodbury 20¢
Lace Baby Castile 3 for 49¢

TOOTH PREPARATIONS

Pebeco 37¢
Pepsodent Paste 39¢
Kolyon 23¢
Mennen's 35¢
Lyons' 25¢
Colgate's 10¢ and 25¢
Pyorrhoeal Powder 98¢
Milk of Magnesia 25¢ and 43¢
Listerine 24¢, 49¢, 89¢
Peroxide 19¢ and 29¢

PERFUME EXTRACTS

Mavis \$1.25
Caprice 50¢
La France Rosa 50¢
Dactylis 50¢
Blue Lily \$1.00
D'Orsay's Jasmine \$3.00
Pivers Azura \$1.00
Un Air Embaume \$3.50
Quelque Fleurs \$4.50

FACE POWDERS

Mavis 50¢
Lady Mary 50¢
Dier-Kiss 50¢
Hudnut's Three Flowers 75¢
Melba Love Me 75¢
Armand Cold Cream \$1.00
Mar D'Or \$1.00
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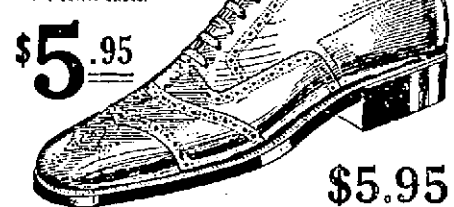
Gingham and Percale Dress Aprons, made with gathered waist line, and with big sash that ties in back. Two big pockets add to the attractiveness and utility of these smart aprons.

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New Ball Strap-Brogues

Full of style, value and quality. Made in Tan, Brown or Black Calfskin. Medium toe. Goodyear welt, \$10.00 shoes.



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The latest spring style in new shade of tan, also in Black Brown and Black. The shoes speak for themselves in style and quality. \$10.00 shoes.



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Made to give comfort and ease to tired, aching feet. They are dressy and neat and are a real blessing to thousands of wearers. \$10.00 shoes.



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Black Kid or Velour Calf

Easy Scout Shoes

Just arrived, new Scout Shoes for men and boys. Easy and durable. \$10.00 men's Scout Shoes.

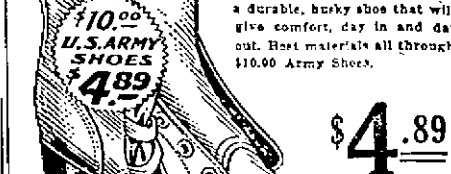


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Boys' \$4.00 Scout Shoes. All sizes. Black and Tan \$1.98

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A great shoe for men that will give comfort, day in and day out. Best material all through. \$10.00 Army Shoes.



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Genuine Mennen Army last. Brown chrome leather. Oak sole.

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Women's Silk Lisle Hose, Round Ticket brand. Black and colors. Values to 69¢ 39¢
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Women's Lisle Hose, in black, white and cordovan. 50¢ values 29¢
Women's Silk Drop-Stitch Hose, in cordovan, 95¢ values 59¢
Women's Lisle Hose in black and cordovan, 29¢ values 12½¢
Men's Fibre Silk Hose, in black, grey and cordovan. Values to \$1.00 50¢
Men's Fibre Silk Hose, in black and grey. Values to 69¢ 39¢
Men's Silk Lisle Hose, Round Ticket brand; black and colors. Values to 69¢ 39¢
Men's Cotton Lisle Hose, in black and cordovan; 25¢ values, 12½¢ 12½¢
Men's Thread Silk Full Fashioned Hose, in black and colors. Values to \$2.00 98¢

\$20,000 Stock of the Seekay Shoe Shop AT ONE-HALF PRICE AND LESS

High grade SHOES for men, women and children are being offered at very low prices. The values are so exceptional that every prudent shopper will want to take advantage of this sale. The styles are good, in fact there are many new Spring modes, as the Seekay Shoe Store has been doing business only a short time.

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leaving the pedestrian to work out his own salvation.

"In the larger cities the traffic is moved by busses. The average time for this is half a minute. Yet people who are impatient to cross the street will often write letters to headquarters, complaining that they have been delayed a full five minutes by the traffic officer. Investigations made in Boston never have discovered the length of time to be greater than two minutes.

"Do not approach the traffic officer from behind with a question, or touch him in order to attract his attention. So tense is a good officer upon his job, that a hand laid suddenly upon his coat or a tug at his belt very nearly

conveys the shock of a collision. This is the testimony of several men.

Therefore give him free air space. "It is desirable that as soon as possible there be a standardization of traffic enforcement throughout the state. In some of the smaller cities and towns men are assigned to traffic work without adequate instruction, and their interpretation of the law is not always fully in accord with usage in the larger cities.

"While Boston offers no course for outside traffic officers, the policy of the superintendent of police is liberal and a request for information and practical demonstration work is never denied when it comes from a smaller

department of the commonwealth.

"To sum up, the careful traffic officer gives his signal with determination, never changes it, is a man of few words while on his job, and would prefer to have the public watch his signals and not seek to distract his attention.

ELECTION OF OFFICERS
At the annual meeting of the Ladies' Aid society of the Gorham Street P. M. church held recently the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Mrs. Jacob Norris, president; George N. Chapman, vice president; Mrs. W. Matthews, Jr., assistant secretary; Mrs. N. W. Matthews, sr., treasurer. Luncheon was served at the close of the meeting. Four were admitted to

membership. The pastor's Bible class met Wednesday evening in the church parlors. Mrs. James H. Worth presided. Excellent contributions were made to the benevolent funds of the conference. Regular business showed much interest in the class. The annual supper of the regulars and members of the home department was postponed until September.

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MUNICIPAL INVESTIGATIONS

Governor Miller of New York is showing things up in a very aggressive way in that state. He is to reduce the state from the grasp of grafters and booters and to put the transit system in New York city on a paying basis.

The governor has really undertaken a prodigious task and one which no man is likely to accomplish in a single year.

The city of New York is to be investigated still further. The rottenness in the building trades as revealed by the Lockwood committee, has accounted everybody who did not know that corruption was rampant in New York. The municipal departments are now to come in for a raking by the investigators and although much may be found that would require a remedy, the whole proceedings will be seen in the nature of locking the stable door after thieves have removed the sled to cart away their loot.

Why not have a number of municipal detectives to keep after the grafters and expose them when found robbing the city? It is presumed that it is possible to find men who would render this service and be themselves above reach of the grafters.

What is true of New York is more or less true of every city. Boston has its finance commission and other cities have good government associations. But for the ordinary city a new office might advantageously be created, the incumbent of which would be required to expose anything savoring of graft or corruption and have it stamped out. What would such an official be named? "Municipal censor" would seem to indicate his functions, although any such official would have to report to the law department or some body of citizens interested in promoting good government and eliminating extravagance and abuses of all kinds. When it comes to protecting liquor dealers and disreputable houses, an evil said to prevail in some cities, there is need for an inquisitor or investigator to ferret out the facts and submit them to the proper authorities.

In some cities where such officials have been engaged, the experience was that they did their duty very satisfactorily for a time and then became as corrupt as the people they were paid to expose.

It is alleged to be one of the defects of our democratic form of government that if our chosen officials are left to themselves they will drift into a state of indifference and corruption. That may be true of some public bodies, and wherever such a tendency is shown, it is necessary for the electorate to keep close watch upon their chosen officials in order to keep them on the straight and narrow path. The better way, however, would be to elect officials who would not need watching; but in the ordinary American city that is sometimes a very difficult matter.

WOMEN'S LEAGUE NONPARTISAN

The League of Women Voters is nonpartisan.

Its members are of all creeds, colors and conditions.

It has no political axe to grind. It urges its members to affiliate themselves with political parties. It asks only that they understand to what principles they subscribe when joining a party.

Not all citizens have the same religious belief; yet no one will deny that all truly religious societies are working for the good of mankind.

So the League of Women Voters—holding its convention in Cleveland April 11-14—believes there is good in all parties. Each individual must choose which combination of principles is most in accord with her personal beliefs.

To the great majority of women, so recently advanced to full citizenship and the right to vote, all these national questions are new. Hitherto their minds have been occupied with other, more personal matters.

They need, therefore, instruction on party fundamentals as well as on current issues.

Previous to the last national election, the first under woman suffrage, most men believed they could take the women voters into their parties with little or no instruction and that the women would vote as the men advised.

But this quickly proved to be an error of judgment. The women proved themselves in the main to have minds of their own.

With women, issues are bigger and of greater interest than parties. The League of Women Voters encourages this independence of thought.

In this her hope for the betterment of parties, because women, entering parties, will take with them a clearer, simpler, truer interpretation of the questions they will stand for in the parties with which they affiliate.

FOR THE UNEMPLOYED

What is needed in Lowell at the present time is something to relieve the unemployed. This is a difficult proposition. The factories are doing the best they can in the face of a falling market and lack of demand for manufactured products.

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SEEN AND HEARD

Railroad workers make an average of \$1800 a year, says government report. That's a better showing than the whole railroading industry makes.

Gen. Pershing certainly had enough experience being the army's chief "staff" in France to make good as chief of staff in peace.

Supreme court's "natural law" decision reaffirms the law that when you give you give. It also suggests that a state ought to know what it is giving before it gives.

Some Horn Player

The regular horn player of a southern orchestra was ill and the conductor reluctantly accepted the advice of a darkey who played in an amateur brass band. He was naturally a little doubtful, however, of the technical ability of the amateur. After the first performance the new player asked the conductor how he had done. The conductor replied that he had done fairly well, but would do better, doubtless, with practice. Whereupon the new player exclaimed gratefully: "Boss, the music was strange to me tonight, but I ain't just shore of it; but jest wait till tomorrow night and yo' ain't gwine to hear any of them fiddles at all."

What Peanut Did

Marion Lenz is a graduate with honors from the hard school of experience. Once he was a newsboy. Now he is the owner of 360 theaters. He is only 40 years old, yet he is worth \$1,000,000 and has a pay roll of \$100,000 a year. He started to work at four. At 12 he began to make money. At 14 he worked as a shoe salesman. One year later he was a salesman for a printing plant. When he was 17 he quit the printing business and tried to sell fruit. At 18 he was a failure and owed thousands of dollars. At 23 he was selling silk capes, and he sold them for 10 years. His great drawback, however, was his height. He was only 5 feet 6 inches tall. They called him "Peanut." When Lenz was 29 he met David Warfield. Warfield started him in the theatrical game.

How Old Is Jazz?

Way back there, in or about the year 322 B.C., the first complaint against jazz was heard. The complaint was the Aristotle of the Greek world. After denouncing certain bad actors of tragedy whose gestures were far too violent, he concluded with this reproach: "They are like bad jazz players who whirl themselves around as if they would imitate the motion of the discus." Though this was written more than 2200 years ago, it has a 1921 flavor. Hand and foot whirling jazz players are saxophone and you have an up-to-date jazz player whose contortions afford delight to some while giving many others a pain. "There is no new thing under the sun," says Ecclesiastes in Holy Writ. "Is there anything whereof it may be said, See, this is new? It has been already of old times, which were before us." Aristotle's cry against the whirling jazz players of 322 B.C. is echoed in 1921 by Dr. Henry Van Dyke scoring jazz as "the torment of lambskins."

Face the Sunshine

Face the sunshine—let the shadows lie behind you.
Face the sunshine from life's dawning to its dusk.
Face the sunshine, though at first its brightness blind you—
Face the sunshine! Keep the shadows out of sight.
Face the sunshine—let its beams your smiling lighten;
Face the sunshine—let its rays suffuse your soul.
Face the sunshine—let its warmth your pleasure lighten;
Face the sunshine and be quit of grief and pain.
Face the sunshine—let its sweet caress remind you
Of the brightness we should scatter through the years;
Face the sunshine—let the shadows fall behind you,
And the sunshine will put rainbows in your tears.

—STRICKLAND CHILMAN.

MAN ABOUT TOWN

Whether or not "the world do move," as Uncle Lucius said, it certainly changes. Men now aged can remember when to read dime novels was to invite an application of the trunk strap or the parental slipper. Nearly every case of juvenile delinquency that turned up was ascribed to the pernicious influence of these works of highly imaginative literature.

If a couple of boys armed themselves with toy guns and bowie knives and started off to exterminate the noble red men of the west, the act was held up as a terrible example of the effects of dime-novel reading. It did not matter that the youngsters did not usually get far from home, that perhaps they gained a little wider vision of the world as a result of their adventure, and that the worst consequences of crime were visited upon the penitents when they returned home to face the wrath of the lords of the home. They had turned their backs upon, they were nevertheless pointed to as terrible examples of what might happen to youngsters who had been led into ways of depravity by an unwise selection of reading matter. But the hue and cry against dime-novel reading long ago died a natural death. When Beadle, the author of many dime novel stories, that he could come, died awhile ago, one of Boston's leading newspapers eulogized his work in high terms of praise. Cigarette smoking was introduced into this country by foreigners who visited the Centennial celebration in 1876. For a long time the cigarette was under the ban of general condemnation. "It is a deadly" was a popular declaration for them. Now almost every man smokes them, and the nations that stand the brunt of their troops with the greatest care during the world war, saw to it that their soldiers were abundantly supplied with them; but nevertheless the evil of abusing the habit is well known.

Consider the philosophy of the surprise party. A most interesting consideration it is. In the first place, the dominant idea is to surprise the guest of the occasion. In or, else, mustn't know what is going to happen even though preparations are under way weeks ahead of the date of the event. Sometimes the one who is being honored is really surprised; more often that, not he or she has named an inside "tip" as to what is coming off. The next variety of surprise parties is the more popular with everybody except the person surprised, who deviously wishes that he were a burglar and water from nowhere instead of in the midst of a grinning sea of faces waiting for him to say something and offering him a suggestion as to what it should be. It's great to be surprised when there's nobody around to see how you take it, but when you have to register surprise in public and at the same time try to manufacture a few connected words of thanks out of a multitude of scattered thoughts—well, it isn't all that cracked up to be.

BODY OF PRIVATE PERRY ARRIVES IN LOWELL

The body of Private Manuel Perry, who was killed in action in France, while serving with the 305th Infantry, has arrived in this city and has been taken to the undertaking rooms of M.



PRIVATE MANUEL PERRY

H. McDonough Sons in Gorham street. A military funeral will be held next Sunday with representations from the local post of the American Legion and the Lisbon club, of which the deceased was a member, taking part in the services.

Private Perry enlisted in April, 1918, and for a time served with Co. B of the 302d Infantry at Camp Devens. In July of that year he went overseas and was transferred to the 305th Infantry.

He leaves three sisters, Mrs. William Fennell of Somerville, Mrs. John Fratus and Mrs. Frank Perry of Lowell, and four brothers, Jesse and Joseph of Somerville and Frank and John of this city.

EAGLES BUILDING FUND ASSOCIATION

The Eagles Building Fund association conducted a successful social and dance in Associate hall last evening. There was a large attendance, the program was thoroughly enjoyed and the receipts of the evening were very substantial. The early part of the evening was taken up with concert numbers by the orchestra and then the drawing contest was brought to a close, the winners being as follows: First prize, No. 26,964, Mary O'Sullivan, 165 Chapel street; second, 20,474, D. D. P., 284 Fletcher street; third, 17,603, Mrs. Crain, 3 (Brunswick) Watson avenue; fourth, 27,835, J. Kennedy, no address; fifth, 5751, Mary Trembley, 16 Elliott street; sixth, 11,925, Mrs. G. Hampdon, 91 Pine avenue, Collinsville seventh, 25,951, A. M. Spender, 15 West Baltimore street, Lynn; eighth, 23,358, A. Simon, 16 Marshall street; ninth, 4294, Jennie Ready, 141 Grand street; 10th, 23,800, John Slavin, 69 Pleasant street; 11th, 30,595, A. Kennedy, 21 Ash street; 12th, 33,170, Austin Lyddy, 31 Second street; 13th, 10,554, J. L. Morrin, 73 Fletcher street; 14th, 18,522, Merrill Gagnon, North Melmsford; 15th, 10,286, Y. Monbleau, 21 East Pine street; 16th, 31,601, Mr. Kinnane, Manchester, N. H.; 17th, 33,166, name not legible, probable address 16 Burton street; 18th, 15,532, Mrs. J. Harrigan, 313 Broadway; 19th, 23,823, Joe Galley 22 Bassett street. The first nine winners were given prizes of \$10 each and the remainder received \$5 each.

General dancing was enjoyed till a seasonable hour. Those responsible for the success of the affair were as follows: General manager, John J. Driscoll; assistant general manager, Timothy F. Barry; floor director, Wil-

Ham J. Durham; assistant floor director, James F. Roark; treasurer, John M. Hogan; aids, James J. Bowen, Joseph Hughes, Harvey Ames, Joseph Frennan, Hugh J. Gallagher, Thomas F. Quinn, Peter F. Brady, David J. Hackett, William E. Carey.

MASS MEETING AT OPERA HOUSE SUNDAY

The program for the big mass meeting in the Opera House Sunday afternoon to mark the opening of the campaign for \$15,000 for Irish relief has been practically completed. As previously announced, the speaker of the

occasion will be Thomas P. Gore, former senator from Oklahoma and an orator of note. Capt. W. C. MacRayne will be chairman of the meeting and Fred H. Bourke, county supervisor, will open the program. Entertainment numbers will be given by Andrew J. McCarthy, baritone, Miss Grace Donahue, harpist, and members of the Choral club of the League of Catholic Women. A capacity audience is expected. Admission will be free and the general public is invited. The doors will be thrown open at 2:30 o'clock.

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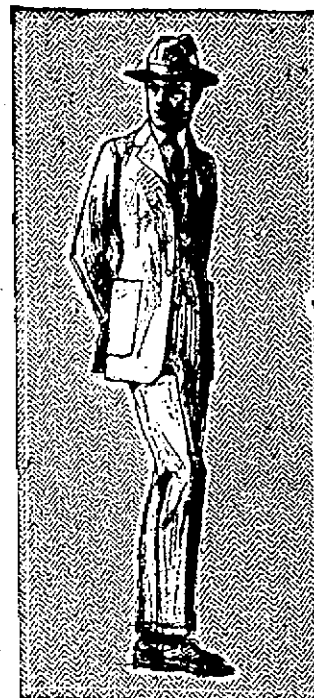
Grays are most wanted, but tans and browns are good. Oxford is fair.

In young men's models mainly—the cut shows the Stein-Bloch Morley in a herringbone background.

A specially clever suit at \$30.00 Stein-Bloch tailoring at \$40.00 and \$50.00.

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Reduced Prices on Interwoven Hose

40¢ for the Fine Mercerized Lisle—were 75¢.

75¢ for the Silk—were \$1.25.

All the good colors in both grades. \$2.35 for Fine Madras Shirts—\$3.00 value.

65¢ for Silk Neckwear—\$1 value.

CHARACTER PARTY

Prizes of gold coins for the best costumes were won by Theodore Olsson, Miss Orpah Stark, and Miss Jennie Nelson, last evening at the character party of Lodge Norman, No. 75, Order of Vasa, held at Highland Hall. Miss Lorraine Leith and Theodore Olsson were in charge of the party. A "fish pond" was in charge of Mrs. Emma Dahlgren and Miss Edith Wahlgren. Mrs. Inga Pederson and Miss Gerda Johnson directed the distribution of ice cream and tonic. Others who directed the party were: Floor director, Mrs. Egner Johnson, following aids: Miss Edith Wahlgren, Mrs. Gerda Johnson, Mrs. Emma Dahlgren, Mrs. Inga Pederson, Carl Anderson, Theodore Olsson, Ernest Anderson, Albert Carlson, Edwin Engquist.

PRICE OF BREAD DROPS

CHICAGO, April 8.—The price of pound loaves of bread was reduced today from 10 to 9 cents by a concern operating a chain of stores.

Domino Syrup is in favor every day in the year!



Its appealing color and sweet sugar cane taste make it particularly inviting on the table. Try Domino Syrup in cooking—for making sauces—over baked apples and ice cream, in baked beans and puddings. The more ways you use it, the more it will be appreciated by all your folks.

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The same large and happy family that makes Domino Cane Sugars makes Domino Syrup. It is a matter of distinct pride with them that every Domino product is the best that can be made. And

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WHITE TAR MOTHPROOF and DUSTPROOF BAGS

In all the wanted sizes at Coburn's. Hang the garments and furs in these airtight bags, they provide perfect protection against moths, insects and mice.

Pine Tar Bags... \$1.25 to \$2.00

White Lined Odorless, \$1.40 to \$2.10

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Pine Tar Paper, Sheet, 13c—Roll, \$1.35

Cedar Paper, Sheet, 21c—Roll, \$2.20

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63 MARKET ST.

MIDDLESEX WOMEN'S CLUB

Monday, April 11, at 4 o'clock—Lecture by Sir Paul Dukes on "Secret Service in Red Russia." Sir Paul Dukes is a renowned English journalist, author and member of the Secret Service, who has had amazing adventures in Russia. He was recently knighted by King George for his remarkable services. An interesting feature of the lecture will be his playing of some photographs records of Lenin and Trotsky making speeches.

Lease Expires—Selling Out—Must Vacate This Month

THE AMERICAN APPAREL SHOP, 173 Merrimack St. 2 Doors Above Bon Marche

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ENTIRE STOCK OF WOMEN'S AND MISSES' COATS, WRAPS, SUITS, DRESSES, WAISTS, LINGERIE AND HOSIERY TO BE SACRIFICED AT ANY PRICE REGARDLESS OF COST

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Every Garment on Sale—Nothing Reserved—No Reasonable Offer Refused—The Following at a Glance Tells Part of the Bargains Offered:

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\$25.00 ALL WOOL JERSEY
Suits - - \$12.85

\$25.00 NEW CAPE
Wraps - \$9.95

PONGEE
Waists - \$1.85

\$1.98 FRENCH VOILE
WAISTS OR MIDDY
BLOUSES 90c

\$5 AND \$6 CREPE DE CHINE
Waists - - \$2.85

—\$1.50—
Gowns - - 55c

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AMERICAN APPAREL SHOP

JAPANESE CROWN PRINCE TO VISIT ENGLAND

LONDON, April 8.—The crown prince of Japan is expected to arrive at Portsmouth on the morning of May 2 and will be met on behalf of the king by the Prince of Wales, who will accompany him to London. For three days the crown prince will be the guest of King George at Buckingham palace and for a week subsequently he will be the guest of the government.

The place of residence for the royal visitor has not yet been decided. There will be three banquets given in his honor, one by the king at Buckingham palace on the night of his arrival, one by the Prince of Wales and one by the British government. There will also be a banquet and reception at the Guildhall.

On the part of the Japanese there will be a banquet and reception by the embassy and entertainments by the Japanese society and the Japanese colony. Afterward the prince will make a tour of the provinces. He is expected to be in this country about three weeks, and it is thought, will then visit France and other countries on the continent.

The prince's official party will number 18 in addition to servants and valets. With the crown prince will come Prince Kan In, a member of the imperial family who was selected by the emperor to accompany his son, Count Chikuda, member of the privy council and former ambassador in London; General Nara, in charge of the prince's military education; Viscount Irie, grand chamberlain; Viscount Tsuchiya, chamberlain; Mr. Saionji, master of ceremonies; the secretary of the Tokyo foreign office, naval and

military aide de camps and two doctors. The king has appointed the following attaches to the royal Japanese party during the prince's stay in England: Admiral the Hon. Sir Stanley Colville, First Naval A.D.C. to the king; General Sir Charles Monro, A.D.C. General to the king; late commander-in-chief in India, Captain Sir B. Godfrey Faussett, equerry to the king and Messrs. Lamson and Ashton Gwatkin of the foreign office.

THE HARDING AND COOLIDGE VEILS

This introduces the Florence Harding veil and the Coolidge veil, the newest and smartest modes in spring veiling.

The Harding veil is black with a crepe pattern. It is reversible in that



it can be worn with either the coarse or fine mesh over the face. The delicate leaf design transforms the plain veil into a smart creation. No other trimming is needed.

The Coolidge veil is navy blue embroidered with gray chenille and has small blocks of blue velvet around the border. It is square and can be worn in different ways. It may be used as a loose drape or caught up closely around the chin as in the picture, or the border may be draped around the brim of the hat without covering the face.

HENRY W. TAFT WARNS AGAINST REDS' TRADE

(Special to The Sun).
NEW YORK, April 8.—"America cannot and must not sanction a resumption of trade relations with the soviet government of Russia."

This is the message which Henry W. Taft, a brother of the ex-president, will carry through the country in a series of lectures during the next two months.

Taft is a lawyer, member of the firm of Wickersham and Taft, which is well known in Wall street. He looks much like the ex-president.

"Bolshevism has burned itself out by practical demonstration," says Taft. "Its bite and its sting are gone, as is the dread of Europe from its scourge."

Viewed today communism, as preached in Russia, is left with but two fundamentals. One is the preachment advocating overthrow of all organized government; the other, the silent hostility against every nation.

"Russia in reality has declared war on all nations by the very reason of the Bolshevik principles to which it adheres."

"Soon there will come a new order of things in Russia. It is preaged

by the tenseness of the resentful masses of Russia.

Personal Decides
"In the stolidity of the Russian peasant rests the country's liberation. He has taken his belongings out of the cities and has gone back to the farms. Bolshevism offers no appeal to him. He has food, land, crops and a bed to sleep on. With these wants satisfied he refuses to embroil himself in communism and Bolshevism."

"Another reason for the downfall of Bolshevism is that Bolshevism had no sense of humor."

"The government that supplants it, following the great revolt to come, will be a representative form of government, patterned after democracy."

"Probably we will be able to open trade with this supplanting government but it is sure that we cannot even think of resuming negotiations with a government, such as now controls Russia, and which preaches our overthrow as a fundamental."

K. OF C. TRIBUTE TO "MIRACLE MAN"

NEW YORK, April 8.—Thousands of Knights of Columbus in the United States and Canada, will join in a pilgrimage on April 17 to the crypt of St. Joseph on Cote-des-Neiges at Montreal, where they will pay homage to Frere Andre, savior of the blind and known as Canada's "miracle man."

Frere Andre's shrine stands opposite the seminary of the Holy Cross on the outside of Montreal. Inside it are clusters of crutches and bandages left by pilgrims who came for healing.

PRACTICE OF CHRISTIAN SCIENCE
LINCOLN, Neb., April 8.—A bill legalizing the practice of Christian Science was passed by the Nebraska legislature yesterday. The bill subjects

Christian Science practice to state quarantine laws. An amendment to make the practice subject to state public health laws failed. The bill now goes to the governor.

DROP IN COMMODITY PRICES
NEW YORK, April 8.—Commodity prices in March declined 1.1 per cent according to compilations by Bradstreet, announced yesterday. Fully one-half of all the commodities were lower than in February.

The 45.1 per cent decline from the peak point of February 1, 1920, shows that 78 per cent of the rise from the pre-war level of August 1, 1914, has been cancelled.

Eyes Tired?
If your eyes are tired and overworked; if they itch, ache, burn or smart, go to any drug store and get a bottle of Bon-Opto tablets. Drop one tablet in a fourth of a glass of water and use to bathe the eyes from two to four times a day. You will be surprised at the relief and comfort Bon-Opto brings.

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BEAT THIS CON GAME AND YOU'RE GOING SOME

Farnum said several mouthfuls, the local police are convinced, since receiving reports of a con game which would seemingly fall to dupe an infant, but which in reality has met with glorious success for their perpetrator, "A. M. Johnston, Jr., of Boston, Mass."

"Mr. Johnston, Jr." strolled into a Branch street lodging-house last evening, and expressed a desire to be accommodated with a room. His appearance apparently was pleasing to the mistress of the establishment, for she provided him with a chamber unquestioningly. In the morning, in payment, he proffered one of the strangest documents ever beheld by the eyes of man. The basis of the thing was all right, but the combination was a wonder. The document was a "check," a money order form, had been filled out in the usual way, stating that the sum of \$12 was to be paid to "A. M. Johnston, Jr., General Postoffice, Boston, Mass.," and being signed "A. M. Johnston, Lewiston, Me." So far, so good. However, in the square where the stamp of the issuing office is supposed to be, there had been placed a stamp, unrecalled two-cent stamp. Also, over the word "foreign," in the line "Foreign and domestic money order," there had been pasted a beautiful green one-cent Pilgrim Tercentenary stamp with the picture of the Mayflower in every-thing. This was the sole authentication provided by the document. And yet the landlady felt for it. Not only did "Mr. Johnston, Jr." who did not even go to the trouble of endorsing this most peculiar of all "money orders," get his \$12 room for the night, but he was also paid \$12 in cash when he presented the \$12 "order" to the keeper of the lodging-house. Carefully pocketing the greenbacks and courteously lifting his hat as he strolled away in the morning sunshine, he vanished. He remains vanished, although the local police would very much like to eliminate him. Investigation, and consultation of records, reveals the fact that a year ago "Mr. Johnston, Jr.," of someone employing similar methods, "worked" a third street lodging-house for several berries and a night's repose. The Lawrence police have also received reports of the activities of the "strange" feature of the case, according to the authorities here, is that this bareheaded and childlike fraud has not been used to impose on aliens, who might be expected to be unacquainted with such matters, but upon native-born Americans, who have taken a one-cent stamp, with a picture of the Pilgrim ship as being the United States government's sanction for the payment of \$12.

GOODWILL INDUSTRIES

Cafeteria Open For Persons Connected With the Institute—Dormitory in Readiness For Occupants

Yesterday noon at the Goodwill Industries and staff members were served their dinner in the new cafeteria. This branch is operating under the skilful direction of Mrs. Chitt of this city. It is the intention at present to serve the men and women who are directly connected with the industries but in the course of time it is hoped that a public eating place will be established.

The dormitory rooms are in readiness and there are already some occupants. Mrs. Emily Pillsbury, formerly of Lowell but now of Somerville, has agreed to the association a lot of land near one of the suburbs which will be used for a fresh air camp in the future and it also offers other possibilities, which will be developed as time allows.

Hundreds of people are walking the streets of Lowell looking for work. Many appear at our office for assistance. We turn no one away if we can possibly give them work. We could help many more if we had the resources. For their sakes we are thinking constantly of the Goodwill bag in your home and of the time it will be collected. The bag holders are now very prompt in sending for our check to collect, and this promptness we hope will continue. We shall need every bag if we are to measure up to the opportunities to tide these people over their days of adversity. Our store is proof positive that hundreds of people in Lowell look to us for assistance in clothing the children, putting shoes on their feet, a chair or table in the home, or furnish dresses or coats for their poorly clad bodies. The income from the store pays the wages of the people employed in the alteration room, has room and sorting room. The sale from this store is increasing steadily.

"IN TO RUN JITEYS"

BOSTON, April 8.—The Boston Elevated railway company was given authority by the Public Service commission today to establish automobile lines for the transportation of passengers and freight. It is proposed to operate the motor buses as passenger feeders to the main trolley lines. Final authority for the jitney service rests with the local governments of Boston and other cities and towns involved. The commission pointed out.

REV. MR. ALLEN SPOKE

Rev. Mr. Allen of Brooklyn, N. Y., was a speaker at the meeting of the A. A. R. in Lowell on Wednesday evening. His address was listened to with close attention by a large attendance.



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Court Battle Over Building

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that various beneficiaries under the trust had given their equities to banks as securities for loans, and that the equities had been transferred between banks by quit claim deeds.

Action by the Court

"It is clear to everybody," said Mr. Howard, "that the only way in which the building can be sold is as a result of action by the court to quiet the title."

Mr. Howard said that the case had been before a master for over a year and that apparently there would be no end to it.

Mr. Howard referred to the dispute as to the indebtedness of Mr. Coffey to the Lowell Trust company as being one of the principal features of the case and said that the progress of the suit had been hampered by the sickness of Mr. Coffey, who, he said, was the only person connected with the bank who had any knowledge of the case.

"The case is costing the county a large amount of money," said Mr. Howard. "We came up here today after day and accomplish nothing and have to go back to our office again."

Question of Indebtedness

"The only question to decide then is that of indebtedness," asked Judge Hammond.

"Yes," replied Mr. Howard. "The O'Sullivan trust for Savings, was the trust dissolved, but it is impossible to get the Lowell Trust company to do anything. As matters are now the building cannot be disposed of. We are looking for some suggestion from the court as to how in which the building can be sold. We should like to have this matter settled up," said Mr. Donahue, "but see no reason why it should not go on in the usual way. The cat now being out of the bag there can be no harm in discussing it. It relates to the Lowell Trust company and children of John Coffey. So far as the children of this case is concerned, it is not to be heard later. The trust company simply wants to get back the money due to it."

Wanted Case Ended

Mr. Howard said that his principal desire was to have the case ended. "That is an honorable desire," commented Judge Hammond.

Mr. Donahue suggested that a master could bring in a finding as to what was due each party from the testimony that has already been presented to him; he doesn't require any assistance from anybody. "The parties to the suit," he asserted, "had put their clients to a lot of expense. If they are to continue to run up a big bill," he said, "do not want to have to pay it."

Mr. O'Sullivan said that Mr. Coffey claimed the right to have his indebtedness to the Lowell Trust company determined. He said that the Trust company had fought such action.

"Our contention has been," said Mr. O'Sullivan, "that we had a right to cross-examine Mr. Coffey as to his indebtedness to the Lowell Trust company. The transactions with the company, the cross-examination has been delayed for months at a time. It may be delayed for years. We feel that real estate prices are at a peak and we would like to have the building sold. There are already 12 volumes of records in the case, and if anyone can get information enough from then for two pages they will do much better than I can. We suggest that the building be sold and the indebtedness to the Trust company worked out in some other way."

Selling the Building

"You all want the building sold," asked Judge Hammond.

"Yes, all but the Lowell Trust company," answered a chorus of lawyers. "The Lowell Trust company would be satisfied if justice were done," commented Mr. Donahue.

"Suppose the property should be sold and the money placed in the hands of the court; would that satisfy you?" asked the judge.

"I should have to refer that matter to the board of directors," said Mr. Donahue. "Then what about the widow?"

The judge suggested that if the records from the sale of the building were in the hands of the court the issues of ownership, including the interests of Mrs. Coffey, could be determined later. He asked if there was any reason why a decree to sell should not issue, the money to be held until a final decree was issued.

Wanted An Accounting

Mr. Hogan, speaking for the Washington Savings Institution, said that his clients wanted an accounting.

Mr. Donahue said that the Lowell Trust company does not claim more than four-ninths of the trust and possibly not so much as that.

Mr. Howard said that the O'Sullivan brothers have one-third interest in the trust, and that if an intermediary decree was issued they should get their interest anyway.

"It seems to me," said Judge Hammond, "that you should get everybody to agree to a sale and then there should be an intermediary decree."

Mr. Howard asserted that he did not believe that it could be possible to get the parties to agree. He said that he did not believe that the court or anyone else, after reading the documents in the case, could tell what the interests of the different parties are.

Determined By Master

Judge Hammond asked if it would not be possible to have the fractional right of the different parties determined by a master.

Mr. Donahue said that that was what he had originally asked for.

The court stated that if counsel could draw a decree limiting questions before the master to accounting, he should be inclined to accept it. "I am not inclined to throw any new complications into the case," he said.

The court suggested that the ownership of the fractional share be determined by the master on the testimony already given, and that the bank and Coffey be left to settle their differences by litigation if necessary.

Judge Hammond finally decided to take the case under advisement.

THE LOWELL TRUST COMPANY

Of Lowell Textile Plant Will Begin Week-End House Party With Friends

STOCK MARKET

NEW YORK, April 8.—Recent reactionary tendencies in the stock market were again observed today. The sudden uprush of money rates in yesterday's final dealings and overnight advances regarding the British industrial crisis prompted further caution. Reading, Royal Dutch and U. S. Rubber were strong, gaining 1 to 1½ points, but other prominent issues were lower by fractions to one point. International Harvester and Virginia-Carolina Chemical were especially heavy, and Mexican Petroleum, General Asphalt and American Smelting declined. A new low for money rates. Preliminary rates of exchange on London were moderately lower.

The market settled down to its daily routine for the balance of the forenoon, dealings steadily diminishing. Further price changes were mostly downward, stocks and minor fluctuations increasing depression. Crucible, Lackawanna and Republic Steel averaged 1 point losses while Harvester and Texas & Pacific lost 1½ points. Heavy trading at 12½ to 13½ cents low for money rates. Trading was restrained by the British strike situation and uncertainty as to local money conditions. Call loans opened and moved into next week at 6 percent, as against yesterday's final rate of 5½ percent.

Popular specialties, notably leathers and the lumber trade, were active, but the downward tendency was resumed when call money rates stiffened. A variety of ordinarily inactive shares were under pressure, losses of ½ to 1 point being suffered by Harvester, Omaha, The Waterbury Oil, General Electric, Malvern Steel and Northwestern Bell.

Real money rate to 7 percent in the later dealings. This was the signal for broader selling which included oils, motors and coalers. The closing was heavy.

NEW YORK Clearings

NEW YORK, April 8.—Exchanges, \$59,277,719; balances, \$9,229,511.

Money Market

Time loans easier, 60 days, 90 days, six months 6½ at 7 percent, first 4½, second 4½, third 4½, fourth 4½, fifth 4½, sixth 4½, seventh 4½, eighth 4½, ninth 4½, tenth 4½, eleventh 4½, twelfth 4½, thirteenth 4½, fourteenth 4½, fifteenth 4½, sixteenth 4½, seventeenth 4½, eighteenth 4½, nineteenth 4½, twentieth 4½, twenty-first 4½, twenty-second 4½, twenty-third 4½, twenty-fourth 4½, twenty-fifth 4½, twenty-sixth 4½, twenty-seventh 4½, twenty-eighth 4½, twenty-ninth 4½, thirtieth 4½, thirty-first 4½, thirty-second 4½, thirty-third 4½, thirty-fourth 4½, thirty-fifth 4½, thirty-sixth 4½, thirty-seventh 4½, thirty-eighth 4½, thirty-ninth 4½, fortieth 4½, forty-first 4½, forty-second 4½, forty-third 4½, forty-fourth 4½, forty-fifth 4½, forty-sixth 4½, forty-seventh 4½, forty-eighth 4½, forty-ninth 4½, fiftieth 4½, fifty-first 4½, fifty-second 4½, fifty-third 4½, fifty-fourth 4½, fifty-fifth 4½, fifty-sixth 4½, fifty-seventh 4½, fifty-eighth 4½, fifty-ninth 4½, sixtieth 4½, sixty-first 4½, 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For Paymaster General of Navy

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Appointment of Captain David Potter, paymaster of the Atlantic fleet, to be paymaster general of the navy, succeeding Rear Admiral Samuel McGowan, retired, will be recommended to the president by Secretary Denby. Rear Admiral C. J. Peoples, acting paymaster general, was not a candidate for the post, having refused to have his name presented by former Secretary Daniels.

Crew of Steamer in Mutiny

SAN FRANCISCO, April 8.—The steamer Willkilo, accompanied by a United States cruiser, is steaming up the Mexican coast with her crew in mutiny, according to a message received here today by the steamer's owners, the Williams Line of New York.

Providence Policeman Shot By Woman

PROVIDENCE, R. I., April 8.—William H. Callahan, a policeman, was shot and probably fatally injured this morning by Mrs. Sophia A. Francis, a laundry worker, at her boarding house here. It is alleged that Callahan, a veteran of the world war, had been a frequent visitor at Mrs. Francis' room. He took out a license last July to marry her, but this morning he told the woman that he was already married. She is a widow.

DEATHS

TURGEON.—Wilfrid, aged 7 months and 4 days, infant son of Albert and Helene Turgeon, died last night at the home of his parents, 109 Railroad street.

RUFFIN.—Mrs. Mary E. Ruffin, aged 63 years, a resident of Tewksbury for the past 20 years, died this morning at St. John's hospital. She leaves a son, John P. Ruffin of Boston.

NEHOGUS.—Mrs. Margaret Burgess, widow of Milan Burgess, died this morning after a very short illness, while visiting at Ayer, Mass. Her body was brought to Lowell and taken to her late home, 123 State st., by Undertakers Charles H. Molloy's Sons. She is survived by two sons, John Henry Adams and Milan Burgess, and one daughter, Miss Margaret Burgess, one brother, John H. Mullin of Somerville. She was a former well known resident of St. Patrick's parish where she was a member of the Married Women's society.

NOITON.—Mrs. Mary A. Noiton, an old resident of this city, died this morning at her home, 765 Moody st., after a brief illness. Mrs. Noiton was born in Lowell and resided here all her life, having a wide acquaintance and was beloved by all who enjoyed her acquaintance. She was one of the pioneer parishioners of St. Columba's church, and prominent in the parish affairs. She is survived by her husband, John Noiton, one sister, Mrs. E. Slavin; two brothers, John J. and Bernard J. Kelly of Lowell and several nieces and nephews.

BEHREND.—Ruth Behrend, infant daughter of Rudolf and Lady Behrend, died yesterday morning at 351 Methuen street, Dracut. Funeral took place this morning at 10 o'clock from her parents' home, 351 Methuen street. Burial was in the Edison cemetery, in charge of Undertaker Joseph Urbanek.

CLOSTON.—Miss Jessie Irene Closton, a native of this city, but for the past 15 years a resident of Boston, passed away this morning at the Lowell General hospital as a result of an illness she received at the home of her parents, 358 Christian street, while making a visit. Miss Closton was born in this city, educated in the public schools and was a graduate nurse from the Massachusetts Homeopathic hospital at Boston. She is survived by her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. E. Closton of this city; four sisters, Mrs. John T. Whelan of this city, Mrs. Lena M. Goode of Brookline, Mass., Mrs. Laura M. Jennings of Roxbury, and Mrs. Harry M. Fox of Dracut; three brothers, Henry, Ralph and Frank G. Closton of this city; also by several nieces. Miss Closton was a member of the Park Street Congregational church of Boston. Her body will be removed to the home of her sister, Mrs. John T. Whelan, 131 Methuen street, by Undertaker William H. Saunders.

MATRIMONIAL

Mr. Joseph Mahan of this city and Miss Katherine Mahan of North Billerica were married Wednesday afternoon at St. Andrew's rectory, North Billerica, by Rev. David J. Murphy, pastor. Miss Nellie Downey of North Billerica acted as bridesmaid, while the best man was Mr. Eugene Mahan of Lowell, a brother of the groom. After a honeymoon trip the couple will make their home in North Billerica.

IN MEMORIAM

TRULL.—In loving memory of our dear wife and mother, Mrs. Livonia Z. Trull who passed away April 8, 1919. Gone but not forgotten.

MR. FRANK P. TRULL and Daughter.

THE YOUNGSTER'S SUIT HAS ARRIVED

Best Line of Boys' Suits in the City Is at the Merrimack

The question of fitting out the boy for the Spring and Summer is no easy one to solve.

He needs a suit and several other things. To get service as well as style and fit in boys' clothing is rather difficult ordinarily, but if a visit is made to the boys' department at the Merrimack Clothing company, the whole thing is quickly and satisfactorily solved.

The Merrimack has some of the biggest bargains in boys' suits ever offered in Lowell. The variety is large and the usual "guarantee" goes with every purchase. These 1921 suits are the kind that will satisfy not only the parent but the boy himself. You may think this is impossible. We used to, but we know differently now.

See our window display and see what we have to offer for our Lowell youngsters.—ADV.

Carpenter's Tools

At C. H. HANSON'S SALE TOMORROW AFTERNOON This Is Your Chance

Funeral Flowers

Good Surveys.....\$3.00
Good Wreaths.....5.00

Harvey B. Greene

—FLORIST—

174 Stevens St. — Tel. 1742-W

FOR RELIABLE NURSERY STOCK AND SEEDS

Of all kinds, visit McManmon's Nursery, Dracut, Mass. Store, in Prescott street. Six acres of certified seed potatoes, new varieties in this part of the country. Try them, it will pay you.

McManmon, Florist, 14 Prescott St.

FUNERALS

GERVAIS.—The funeral of Oscar Gervais took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, Israel and Mary Jane (Giblin) Gervais, 465 Moody street. Services were held in St. Jean Baptiste church and Rev. Aurelien Merrell, O.M.I., officiated. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were in charge of Undertakers Amidee Archambault & Sons.

GALLANT.—The funeral of Francis Leonard Gallant took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, Edward and Helen (Sweeney) Gallant, 26 Phoebe avenue. Burial was in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery, under the direction of Undertakers Amidee Archambault & Sons.

FOX.—The funeral of Mrs. Elizabeth T. Fox took place yesterday from her home, 30 Chambers street, and was largely attended. The funeral mass was celebrated in St. Peter's church by Rev. Francis L. Shea. The Gregorian chant was sung by the choir, the soloists being Miss Mary E. Fox, Joseph and James Fox, and Miss Gertrude Quigley was the organist. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. George Marshall, pastor of St. Peter's church, North Walpole, N. H., read the burial services, assisted by Rev. Francis L. Shea and Rev. Dennis A. Sullivan, O.M.I. The bearers were J. B. V. Cohn, James J. Estabrook, Thomas Sheehan, Thomas Morgan and John McPherson. There were many flowers. The funeral was in charge of Undertakers Charles H. Molloy's Sons.

WALLACE.—The funeral of Charles J. Wallace, son of John J. and Harriet (Walters) Donnelly, who was drowned in Beaver brook last Tuesday, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 173 River side street, Dracut. There were many flowers. Burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery, where Rev. James Lynch of St. Michael's church read the committal service. The funeral was in charge of Undertaker Joseph Urbanek.

RONDEWIGAS.—The funeral of Anthony Rondewigas took place yesterday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the home of his parents, 3 Jean ave. in St. Joseph's church at 3 o'clock. Fr. F. Kelczos officiated. The burial took place in the family lot in St. Joseph's cemetery. The funeral arrangements were under the direction of Undertaker Joseph Urbanek.

DONNELLY.—The funeral of Charles J. Donnelly, beloved son of John J. and Harriet Walters Donnelly, took place yesterday afternoon from the home of his parents, 173 River side street, Dracut, and was largely attended by sorrowing relatives and friends. There was a profusion of flowers. The funeral mass was celebrated in St. Michael's church read the committal prayers and the burial was in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

SZOSTAKOWSKI.—The funeral of Jacob Szostakowski took place yesterday morning at his parents' home, 6 Perry's court. Burial was in St. Joseph's cemetery in charge of Undertaker Joseph Urbanek.

SUN BREVITIES

Best printing, Tobin's, Associate bldg. Lydon for best catering. Tel. 4934. Fire and liability insurance, Daniel J. O'Brien, Wynant's Exchange.

At 10:33 o'clock this forenoon a telephone alarm was sent in for a chimney fire at 15 Concord street.

If you want to improve your golf game this season, first fit yourself out right, at right prices, at Dickerman & McQuade's.

Richard T. Robinson, exalted ruler of the Lowell lodge of Elks and his suite, installed the officers of the Lawrence lodge last evening at the Lawrence armory. A large delegation from the Lowell lodge attended the ceremony.

A successful lunch for the benefit of the High School orchestra was held yesterday in the high school hall during recess. There was a large attendance and the musical program furnished by the school orchestra was most enjoyable.

The Mioden Girls' club wishes to apologize for not presenting Campbell's orchestra at Dracut Grange, April 6. Owing to a misunderstanding concerning the booking of the orchestra it was necessary to procure the services of another.

The following members of the local fire department will go on their annual two-weeks vacation next Monday: W. C. Christie, M. L. Collins, T. J. Dewler, C. E. Gillis, P. Johnson, A. B. McLaughlin, E. Perham, W. F. Riley, C. A. Rock and E. J. Tighe.

An informal entertainment and whist party will be given this evening by the League of Catholic Women at Eagles hall, Harrington building, Central street. It is stated that an attractive list of prizes have been secured.

A most artistic concert was given last evening at Colonial hall by the Y.V.C.A. glee club, directed by Eusebius G. Hood. Others who participated in the program were Miss Marion G. Connors, soprano; Miss Doris White, alto; Miss Katherine Wright, violin; and Mrs. Bertha Chapman Huse and Miss Mary E. Kelly, accompanists.

FOR PROTECTIVE TARIFF ON BOOKS

MADRID, April 8.—The publishers of Spain have petitioned the government to introduce a protective tariff on books. They declare enormous numbers of books printed in Spain are arriving from Germany, threatening to destroy the industry in Spain.

NEGOTIABLE RELEASED

PHILADELPHIA, April 8.—Patrick McGuire, who was arrested last night while Mrs. Douglas Robinson, sister of the late Theodore Roosevelt, was making a telephone call to a police magistrate. During Mrs. Robinson's address, McGuire arose and shouted: "Sinn Fein stands for American principles." Police officers rescued him from a possible harm and locked him up over night.



NEEDED—AN UMBRELLA!

FUNERAL NOTICES

KELLMER.—Died in this city, April 7, Miss Esther Gertrude Kellmer, aged 22 years. Funeral will take place Saturday morning from the funeral parlors of Undertakers O'Donnell & Pay, 635 Gorham street, at 9 o'clock. At St. Columba's church at 9 o'clock a funeral high mass will be celebrated. Burial will be private and in the family lot in St. Patrick's cemetery. Motor cortege. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertakers O'Donnell & Pay.

THEBAULT.—The funeral of Eugene Theriault will take place tomorrow morning at 8:30 o'clock from his home, 41 Tucker street. Solemn high mass of requiem at St. Jean Baptiste church at 10 o'clock. Burial in St. Joseph's cemetery. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertaker Joseph Albert.

RUDE.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary E. Rude will take place Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock at the home of Mrs. Joseph W. Jordan in Tewksbury Centre. Friends invited without further notice. Funeral arrangements in charge of Undertaker John A. Weinbeck.

BURGESS.—The funeral of Mrs. Margaret Burgess will take place Sunday afternoon at 1 o'clock from her late home, 113 Hale street. Services will be held in St. Peter's church at 9 o'clock. The burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. High mass will be celebrated in St. Peter's church at a time to be announced later. The funeral will be in charge of Undertakers Charles H. Molloy's Sons.

KEANE.—Died April 6, Mrs. Mary P. Fleming Keane. Funeral will take place Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock from her late home, 139 Cross street. Funeral high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Patrick's church at 9 o'clock. Burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements will be in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

PERRY.—Died in France, Nov. 7, 1918, Private Manuel Perry. Funeral will take place on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock from the funeral parlors of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons. Services will be held at St. Anthony's church at 3:30 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements will be in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

NORTON.—Died April 9, Mrs. Mary A. Norton. Funeral will take place on Monday morning at 9 o'clock from her late home, 755 Moody st. Solemn high mass of requiem will be sung at St. Columba's church at 10 o'clock. Burial will take place in St. Patrick's cemetery. The funeral arrangements will be in charge of Undertakers M. H. McDonough Sons.

CUNNINGHAM.—The funeral of Mrs. Mary A. Cunningham will take place Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock from her home, 100 Tucker street, Dracut. A mass of requiem will be sung Monday morning at 9 o'clock at St. Michael's church. The burial will be in St. Patrick's cemetery in charge of Undertakers James P. O'Donnell & Sons.

CLOSTON.—Died, in this city, April 8, suddenly, at the Lowell General hospital, Miss Jessie I. Closton, aged 35 years. Funeral services will be held at the home of her sister, Mrs. John T. Whelan, 131 Methuen street, on Sunday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. Friends are respectfully invited to light private. The funeral arrangements are in charge of Undertaker William H. Saunders.

STREET AND SEWER PETITION HEARINGS

Commissioner Dennis A. Murphy will hold hearings on the following street and sewer petitions at his office in city hall Friday evening, April 15, at 7:30: Imelda R. Smith, et al. that Courtland street be accepted from Woodward avenue to Adams avenue. Elengore Desrosiers, et al. that a sewer be laid in Conduit street from Riverside street to Emery avenue. Cecil M. Pelton, et al. that Burnaby street be accepted.

Henry A. Drew, that a sewer be laid in a private way off Lawrence street westerly to drain the premises at 1 Mill court. Maurice G. Maguire, et al. that E street be accepted from Powell to School.

Arthur W. Cahana, that the sewer in Columbia street be extended about 140 feet. Preston Coal & Coke Co., that Whilden street be accepted. Mary S. Woodward, et al. that Cascade avenue be accepted.

Elisher H. Pearson, that Pentucket avenue be accepted from Andrew street southerly for a distance of 300 feet. Washington Savings Institution, et al. that Postoffice avenue be accepted. Pierre Brunelle, Jr., et al. that a sidewalk of elms and oaks be laid on the westerly side of Sandish street.

Under the reign of Edgar the Peaceful in England in the 10th century, the Sabbath was observed Saturday afternoon and ended Monday morning.

ASSAULTED AND ROBBED ON NO. COMMON

George Kennedy, locked up by the local police on drunkenness charges, declared that while strolling in the North common district last evening he was attacked by two young men, who beat him up and relieved him of \$250, the products of a winter's toil at the Florida beaches. This, he told the authorities, was after \$50 had gone for moonshine. As his head and face exhibited such severe cuts and bruises that he was sent for treatment to the Lowell Corporation hospital, the police were inclined to place some credence in his story. However, as he could not describe very thoroughly his assailants, no results of the official investigation have as yet been forthcoming.

GIVE UP IN DISGUST

Red Tape Kills Enthusiasm of Playground Teachers

The civil service commission is at it again with Lowell once more playing the role of victim. Last fall the commission notified the local park department that in the future it must appoint no more playground teachers unless their names are taken from the civil service list. In previous years, the instructors were appointed by the park commission without formal examination, their qualifications being determined by the superintendent and members of the commission who are intimately in touch with the local playgrounds.

However, the civil service dictum was promulgated and those who had intentions of being playground teachers next summer were notified that they must take an examination. A large number of Lowell men and women did so at the state house in January and then sat back waiting expectantly to learn the result. A few weeks later each of them received notice to appear a day or so later at the East armory in Boston for a physical examination. This they did, paying each time, of course, their own expenses. According to those who took this examination, it was a very cursory affair. The candidates simply handed in their cards with their names on them and went through a series of motions together. There was no individual examination.

But the climax came early this week when the candidates received a notice to appear for a third examination or, as the notification card termed it, a "physical re-examination." The necessity of a "re-examination" was not readily apparent to the candidates and many of them became so tired of their continual journeying to Boston that they gave the whole matter up in disgust. A large number of those who aspired for the playground positions teach school during the winter months, in many cases far from Lowell. The inconvenience caused them by the re-examination of the civil service commission is obvious and there is every probability that the Lowell park department will have in its hands when it undertakes to open its playgrounds next summer a list of eligible teachers far below the required number.

More Shootings in Ireland

DUBLIN, April 8.—There has been a widespread campaign against "spies and informers" the past few days. Thomas Byrne, a former soldier, was shot dead in the presence of his mother in Dramlish, County Longford. Mrs. McDonagh, wife of the proprietor of a public house, and corporal Edward Weldon were killed in Castlereagh, County Roscommon. James Mond, of Knockmurray, and Peter Conroy of Tormon, were taken from their houses and shot dead. Bridges have been blown up in various parts of County Cork and all roads leading to Thurles have been entrenched and obstructed. The official weekly summary of attacks against the police and military issued today, indicates that there are no signs of the attacks diminishing, but the casualties suffered by the crown forces during the week decreased to 25 as compared with 46 last week. Seven police barracks were attacked and two policemen murdered, the statement says while 10 civilians were murdered by Sinn Feiners. There were 26 attacks on the mails and 61 arrests for political offenses with 36 convictions. Eighty-one persons were interned, making the total 2327.

Hoover Continues Series of Conferences

WASHINGTON, April 8.—Secretary Hoover continued today the series of conferences with representatives of leading industries looking toward the formation of an advisory council to the Department of Commerce, composed of business men. Members of the National Automobile Chamber of Commerce and later representatives from the American Dyes Institute, met with the secretary.

Hosiery and Underwear at Attractive Prices



WOMEN'S LISLE VESTS, low neck, no sleeve, tailored top, in regular and outsize..... 25¢ and 29¢

WOMEN'S LISLE VESTS, low neck, no sleeve, in tailored top and bodice style with silk tape on shoulder, all sizes 50¢

WOMEN'S LISLE UNION SUITS, low neck, no sleeves, tailored top, cuff and loose knee, in envelope chemise styles, all sizes 79¢

CHILDREN'S JERSEY DRAWER WAISTS, sizes 2 to 14 years, 25¢

WOMEN'S COTTON HOSE, seamed back, black and cordovan. Special 24¢

WOMEN'S FULL FASHIONED SILK HOSE..... \$1.50 to \$3.50

WOMEN'S SILK HOSE, seamed back \$1.00

CHILDREN'S HOSE, black only, 25¢

CHILDREN'S FINE RIB MERCERIZED HOSE, black, cordovan and white 59¢

MEN'S FOUR-IN-HAND TIES, large or small shapes 50¢



BACON BOWLING LEAGUE BANQUET

Good fellowship was the keynote at the banquet of the Bacon Bowling league, which was held in Page's banquet hall last evening, the occasion being the closing of a most successful bowling season.

L. Edgar Lambert acted as toastmaster and under his direction a most enjoyable program was given. First of all he welcomed the members of the league, complementing them for the success achieved during the season, saying that the activities of the organization during the cold weather resulted in bringing about closer relations between its members, while the amusement provided consisted of a

APRIL BAD MONTH FOR AUTO ACCIDENTS

April is known as "the killing month" because of the number of its automobile fatalities. This information was given in an article made public by the Safe Roads federation of Massachusetts. The present "Safety First" campaign, being conducted in this city under the direction of Redmond A. Welch, chief of police, is therefore launched at an appropriate period; for greater dangers lurk in wait for both pedestrians and operators of motor vehicles during this season, than at any other time of the year. Superintendent Welch today issued a statement in which he urged every man, woman and child in Lowell to make a special effort to see the "Careless America" films now showing at local playhouses in connection with the campaign. "These pictures teach a great and vital lesson, and are powerfully educational," declared Chief Welch.

WOMEN'S POLICE SQUAD DISRUPTED

KALAMAZOO, Mich., April 8.—Female jealousy has disrupted the women's squad of the Kalamazoo police department, Chief Taft declared today in announcing he had ordered the resignation of two police women. "Something had to be done," the chief wrote City Manager Harry Freeman. "The women are supposed to work together, irrespective of personalities, but there has been more or less friction for weeks and co-operation has become impossible. Dismissal was the only solution."

ELIOT UNION CHURCH

Former Director of Albany Chamber of Commerce to Address Men's Club of Eliot Union Church

George Dugan of Trenton, N. J., former director of the chamber of commerce at Albany, will be the featured speaker at a social given for several years president of the combined rotary clubs of eastern New York state, now associated with the American City bureau, will address members of the Men's club of the Eliot Union church next Thursday evening on the topic: "What Is the Matter?" Mr. Dugan is an exceptionally stimulating speaker and will be remembered by many Lowell men as one of the speakers which the American city bureau had here in 1920 when a new chamber of commerce was being organized in Lowell. He is supposed to attend. A buffet luncheon will be served.

MINNEAPOLIS, Minn., April 8.—

Flour prices in Minneapolis have dropped 50 cents a barrel the last week, bringing the price of standard patents at the mills down to \$3.15 to \$3.40 a barrel.

PAGE JOHN CLOSE

The city clerk has received from R. A. Morse of 59 Park street, Providence, R. I., a request for information as to the whereabouts of John Close, who is described as 38 years of age and interested in the textile industry. He is supposed to have married in this city.

CHRISTIAN ENDEAVOR SOCIAL

The social conducted by the Christian Endeavor society of the Westminister Presbyterian church Wednesday night was a big success. Those who took part in the entertainment were Thos. Moss, Mrs. Ethel Hazen, Miss Myrtle Hutz. Refreshments were served.

C. H. HANSON CO., Inc., Rock Street..... Auctioneer

Special Auction Sale—Saturday Afternoon

Starting at 1.30, rain or shine, clothing, dry goods and carpenters' tools, all new. Six new soap stone sinks, three set tubs, many tanks and flush bowls, large lot of covers, oak and mahogany.

Truck load of Set Tub, Water Tanks, Soap Stone Sinks, Flush Bowls will be sold at C. H. Hanson's, Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock, sharp.